

ROBERT OFFICER TAKES STAND IN HERRIN SLAYINGS

Is First Survivor of Massacre to Appear on Witness Stand

(By The Associated Press)
MARION, Ill., Dec. 19.—The first survivor to take the witness stand, Robert Officer, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, testified today at the trial of five men charged with murder in connection with the killing of twenty non-union men in the Herrin riot. Officer, a bookkeeper at the "strip" mine where the trouble started told of the attack on the property the afternoon of June 21 when three union miners were shot and killed.

Both Officer and Col. Sam Hunter of the adjutant general's office another witness said there were no agreements between the non-union workers and the local officials of the United Mine Workers for a truce and a safe conduct of the besieged workers out of the district.

Colonel Hunter said he had tried to arrange such a truce while acting in a purely personal capacity, having come from Springfield when he heard of the trouble.

Officer said Colonel Hunter had talked to him by telephone and said that W. J. Lester, the owner had authorized the surrender of the property.

Just before night fall the witness testified that in the mine raised a white flag but the sniping from surrounding hills continued all night and the flag was lowered at day break when the men took refuge in some freight cars. Then the fierceness of the attack increased and the besieged decided to surrender raising a white flag, he said.

After being assured of their safety, according to the witness the forty-eight non-union men were led from the mine. C. K. McDowell, the superintendent limping painfully on his wooden leg. The crowd constantly increased and Officer quoted one of its leaders whom he could not identify as shouting:

"They are nothing but strike-breakers and we ought to kill them all."

McDonald led away.

About a mile from the mine the witness said McDowell was led away by two men. Other witnesses have testified that a crippled superintendent was slain on the spot.

Then the crowd marched about two miles further on where it lined the remaining prisoners up before a barbed wire fence in front of a clump of woods, Officer said.

"We're going to give you a chance for your lives," he quoted one of the leaders as shouting and then the firing began.

Officer said he dropped at the first discharge and rolled under the fence feeling while the crowd was hunting down those who had escaped the raid of the first day. He described the "howling like wolves" but this was stricken from the record on an objection of the defense.

"Only those who have guns can enter the woods," the witness said he heard one of the leaders cry. It was at the barbed wire that other witnesses have testified fourteen bodies were found. Four others according to the testimony were found in another clump of woods a short distance away having been shot down as they fled. Six fugitives were captured and were driven thru the streets of Herrin just outside the town, according to the testimony.

The time of the start from the mine was placed at 6:40 a. m. and the shooting at the cemetery at 9 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

Officer said that the only man he recognized was Hugh Willis, state board member of the United Mine Workers. He said Willis drove up to the crowd before the shooting at the woods, asked for the leader and then disappeared from his view.

Under a severe cross examination Officer said there were forty-five workers in the pit and about twenty-five guards, all of whom had been brought from Chicago at the time of the riots. He said he was at present employed in a Kentucky mine in which W. J. Lester has an interest.

Officer said that McDowell had dealt out arms and ammunition which the men used in the mine at the time of the first attack and admitted that he himself had a gun.

He also told of an airplane flying over the mine and said he heard explosions beneath it as though it were dropping bombs. Officer was on the stand most of the day. His cross-examination will be resumed tomorrow morning.

New Bishop



Rt. Rev. Michael J. Keyes, above, formerly of the Catholic University at Washington, is the new bishop of the Savannah, Ga. diocese. He succeeded Bishop Benjamin J. Kelley, who resigned because of his age and failing health.

OFFICERS BELIEVE DENVER BANDITS STAGED ROBBERY

No Trace of Bandits After Day and Night Search

(By The Associated Press)
DENVER, Colo., Dec. 19.—Denver, state and federal authorities tonight after a day and night spent in searching for the masked bandits who yesterday morning shot and killed Charles Linton, stole a consignment of \$200,000 from federal reserve guards and then made their escape were without tangible clues as to the identity of the bandits.

Police, spurred on by the offering of a reward of \$10,000 for the bandits, dead or alive, by the city and county of Denver and by an additional reward aggregating \$5,000 offered by the Kansas City federal reserve bank, admitted that although they had many clues that promised possibilities they were still far from the solution of the holdup.

Tonight a squad of fourteen watched a rooming house in the immediate vicinity of the government mint where earlier in the day, a car, evidently left on the street by the bandits to be used in case of accident to their own machine during the holdup, was discovered thru information furnished by a woman. The car, an investigation showed had been stolen Sunday evening and was equipped with a license tag stolen more than two weeks ago from the car of the deputy county clerk in Jefferson county at Golden.

The automobile according to the woman had been parked on the street by three men about an hour preceding the holdup and subsequent gun fighting on the front steps of the main entrance to the mint.

That the robbery was accomplished by Denver bandits and not by outside highwaymen, is the belief of Chief of Police Williams.

STORK FAILS TO SHOW; WOMAN IN PRISON

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—A stork that failed to arrive with Mrs. Irene McAuliffe Inks former postmistress of Franklin Park, a year in the federal prison in Rhode Island.

Miss McAuliffe and Inks were arrested at Cleveland in January 1920 after they had disappeared simultaneously with the discovery of a shortage of \$20,000 in Miss McAuliffe's postoffice accounts. While waiting trial they married, and a year ago when the case was heard Judge Mack suspended the woman's sentence when told she was about to become a mother.

Investigation by the district attorney's office showed the child never arrived so Mrs. Inks today was committed to prison.

ECHO OF TAYLOR MURDER IN CALIFORNIA

Toledo, O., Dec. 19.—John Marazino told Toledo police when arrested today that he knew the identity of the slayer of William D. Taylor, motion picture director of Hollywood. Marazino who was arrested when he hurried into a residence and asked to be hidden, said he had been followed from California to Ohio, "because I knew who killed Taylor."

He said that several members of a "dope ring" were responsible for the killing.

Marazino is being held for investigation.

CHICAGO POSTOFFICE BREAKS RECORD

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Arthur C. Loeder, postmaster, announced today that the Chicago postoffice established a world's record yesterday for the volume of mail handled in a single day by one postoffice.

Postal employees, he said, handled 6,389,308 pieces of first class and 1,573,3 tons of second, third and fourth class matter, mostly parcel post.

SHIPPING MEASURE ADVOCATES BLOCK THEIR OPPONENTS

Norris' Effort to Lay Aside Bill Meets With Failure

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Efforts to bring about a vote on the motion of Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, to lay aside the shipping bill in favor of his agricultural financing measure today failed in the senate and the session ended with the Norris motion more firmly than ever embedded as the key log in a legislative jam.

Senator Jones, Republican, Washington in charge of the shipping bill supported by administration leaders proposed as he did yesterday that a time be set for a vote thru unanimous consent and while Senator Norris indicated his assent to the proposal objection was raised by Senators numbered among the forces supporting the Norris motion. Senator Jones thereupon abandoned efforts to reach a vote today and the remainder of the session was given over to a discussion of agriculture legislation by Senator Smith, Democrat, South Carolina and to an attack on the federal reserve board by Senator Hefflin, Democrat, Alabama.

When a vote might be obtained and the shipping bill subjected to its first test was a question tonight which leaders could not answer.

Mr. Norris said a vote might come tomorrow but other senators supporting the move to lay aside the shipping bill said they did not desire to hasten the vote because delay would work to their advantage in the fight against the shipping legislation.

Meanwhile the banking and currency committee continued work on rural credits legislation and its chairman, Senator McLean, Republican, Connecticut, urged the senate not to take up the Norris financing bill but to await the credits legislation which it hopes to report in a week. Several Democratic senators announced they would vote to take up the Norris bill as it would afford an opportunity for discussion of farmer relief legislation pending a report by the banking committee.

WOULD ABOLISH TAX EXEMPT SECURITIES

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—After a sharp preliminary skirmish the house took up today a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution under which issuance of tax exempt securities by the federal government and the states would be prohibited.

Backed by the endorsement of President Harding and the treasury the proposal was the center of a hard fight in which many Republicans opposed it. Passage of the measure, offered by Representative Green, Iowa, ranking Republican of the ways and means committee which reported it, will require a two-thirds vote of the house. Opponents claimed tonight it would be defeated.

Altogether leaders who caused it to be brought up, insisted it would go thru. Four hours of general debate, allotted under a special rule giving the measure right of way, had not been concluded on adjournment tonight.

Issuance of tax exempt securities is unsound whether we look at it from the fiscal, economic or social standpoint, said Representative Mills. From the economic standpoint, he added, they were "defensible."

ASKS INVESTIGATION OF REILLY'S CHARGES

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Antonio R. Barcelo, president of the Porto Rican senate and leader of the Unionists, the majority party in both legislative bodies of the island today appealed to President Harding for an immediate investigation into the charges made by Governor General E. Mont Reilly, that accusations of misconduct in his administration of Porto Rico had been trumped up by persons disgruntled by their failure to obtain political sinecures.

"If what Governor Reilly states publicly is true or anything approaching it," Senator Barcelo said in a telegram to the president, "the guilty should be apprehended and indicted; otherwise the accuser should be indicted as a slanderer."

SIX MONTHS IN HOUSE OF CORRECTION

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Rose Musser decided today that six months in the house of correction was enough for Porter S. Houser, who had married and then deserted her. She said she had learned he had several wives.

Judge Morgan offered Miss Musser the privilege of fixing any sentence up to one year, the maximum allowed by law.

Impeachment Case Is Nearing an End

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Proceedings before the house judiciary committee, in connection with the impeachment charges brought against Attorney General Daugherty by Representative Kellar, Republican, Minnesota appeared today to be nearing an end. In fact it was indicated that the scope of future hearings would depend to a large measure upon the nature of information to be laid before the committee by Representative Woodruff, Republican, Michigan, after his examination of documents at the department of justice.

After a brief public session today at which no additional evidence was received the committee in executive meeting, decided to hear Mr. Woodruff tomorrow. There was some discussion as to the time of submitting a report to the house, but decision on this point went over until after receipt of the report from Mr. Woodruff. There was a tacit understanding that the report would be withheld until after the Christmas holidays as several committeemen will be away from Washington during that period.

Mr. Kellar having withdrawn from the prosecution of his charges, the committee in proceeding with the hearing on its own initiative had before it today Mr. Woodruff and Representative Johnson, Republican, So. Dakota. Both emphasized that they had no part in the drafting of the Kellar charges and that they were appearing solely in response to an invitation from Chairman Vestal.

Johnson Makes Statement

Declaring he had been "dragged" into the hearing, Representative Johnson said the charges he had made in the house relating to alleged war frauds had been directed solely at the war department. If the committee wanted to go into these charges he was prepared to give the names of witnesses to support them, he continued, adding that there were officers in the department who "should be court-martialed instead of promoted."

As to the department of justice action in regard to war fraud cases, Mr. Johnson said that in his judgment Attorney General Daugherty had proceeded with reasonable promptness in bringing suits considering that he had had to re-organize the department after he came into office and had to have great masses of information relating to the alleged frauds examined before any move could be made.

Representative Woodruff also told the committee that since he made his charges in the house last April of a failure by Mr. Daugherty to prosecute war fraud cases suits had been brought in six of the eight or nine instances he had cited and that necessarily this had changed the situation materially. He added that it was not his purpose to embarrass the attorney general in the conduct of the court proceedings and that his opinion was that these cases should not be inquired into at this time.

Asking that he and his counsel H. L. Scaife, a former attorney employed in the justice department be permitted to examine the documents in the "Wright-Martin case," Mr. Woodruff said that whether he could present charges that would form the basis for impeachment proceedings within the scope of the Kellar specifications would depend upon what those documents disclosed. Assistant Attorney General Seymour immediately announced that the documents would be made available to Mr. Woodruff and his attorney at the department at any time.

TREASURES OF ANCIENT KING'S TOMB DESCRIBED

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 19.—The archeological treasures of the recently discovered tomb of King Tutankhamun in the valley of the kings were described today by the American Egyptologist James H. Breasted in a telegram to the Cairo correspondent of the Times from Luxor.

"I spent an hour in Tutankhamun's tomb this afternoon," Dr. Breasted said in his despatch. "The impression is overwhelming. The dispatches feebly suggested the marvelous reality. It is a sight I never dreamed of seeing."

The ante chamber of the pharaoh's tomb is filled with magnificent equipment which only the wealth and splendor of the imperial age of Egypt of the fourteenth century before Christ could have wrought or conceived, and with everything standing as placed there when the tomb was last closed in antiquity.

"Two facts are evident: first, it is clear that the place is a pharaoh's tomb and no mere cache. Behind the remaining unopened sealed doorway we must expect to find the burial chamber where the pharaoh still lies in royal magnificence. Second, we have a royal burial very little disturbed, in spite of the hurried plundering it suffered at the hands of the ancient tomb robbers."

"In mere quantity of furniture found it far surpasses all precedent. In quality it is an astonishing revelation of the beauty and refinement of Egyptian art at the culmination of its development in the imperial age, quite surpassing anything I ever imagined."

NOT MANY NOTES ARE PRESENTED

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Reports received by the treasury indicate that out of the \$700,000,000 of victory notes called for redemption last Friday, which were outstanding at the beginning of the month, less than \$300,000,000 have been presented for redemption to date. Interest on all the called victory notes which bear the distinguished letters A, B, C, D, E, and F, prefixed to their serial numbers, stopped Friday and the treasury said tonight holders of these notes should promptly present them for payment thru their own bank or to the nearest federal reserve bank or direct to the treasury at Washington.

DISMISS PETITION FOR BANK RECEIVER

Chicago, Dec. 19.—A petition for a receiver for the Douglas National bank, the only National bank controlled by negroes, so far as known here, was dismissed today in federal district court at the instance of the petitioner. The bank was declared fully solvent by the controller of the currency.

THE DAY'S EVENTS IN WASHINGTON

(By The Associated Press)
Breaking records for speedy enactment of appropriation bills, congress sent the treasury and commerce-labor supply measures to the president. A suit challenging the constitutionality of the War Relocation Authority and Infancy act was filed in the District of Columbia supreme court.

Secretary Denby transmitted to congress on request a statement of naval scuttling done by the several powers since the arms conference. The house began consideration of the Green resolution which proposes a constitutional amendment prohibiting further issuance of tax exempt securities.

Senator Ladd, Republican, North Dakota introduced a resolution for an investigation of conditions in Nicaragua in connection with the American occupation there.

The house judiciary committee investigating impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty continued its hearing, which appeared to be near an end. Foreign shipping companies in a brief filed in supreme court attacked the lower court decision prohibiting their vessels from carrying liquor in American territorial waters.

Action on the nomination of Pierce Butler, St. Paul attorney to be an associate justice of the supreme court, was deferred in the senate thru objection to consideration at this time. It was indicated that action might be taken Thursday.

REPORTS ON LIQUOR TRAFFIC ARE GOOD

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Reports of illicit liquor traffic made to President Harding and other government officials by the executives of fourteen states during their visit to Washington, indicated a "surprisingly good situation," Attorney General Daugherty declared today.

"In every section where co-operation exists between the federal and state authorities," he said, "a decided improvement has resulted and booze and bootleggers are growing scarcer."

There still remain in certain centers of large population, the attorney said aggravated situations with numerous violations, but he predicted a certain clearing of the spots.

FOUR SENTENCED TO DIE IN IRELAND

London, Dec. 19.—A Central News despatch from Dublin says that four men in the Tralee district were sentenced to death for possessing arms but that the sentences have been postponed owing to favorable reports of the situation in Kerry which have been received from the general commanding the district. Should there be further ambushes of national troops or damages to property, roads or railways, the men will be executed immediately.

BUTTER MARKET REMAINS UNCHANGED

Chicago, Dec. 19.—The fresh butter market was unchanged today in price and tone.

PREDICTS MARKED IMPROVEMENT FOR FARMERS IN 1923

Prediction is Made by Secretary Wallace in Address

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—A marked improvement in agricultural conditions of the country during 1923, not only in better actual prices but as compared with the prices of other commodities, was predicted by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace in an address tonight before the Chicago association of credit men.

"Perhaps the chief reason for the low prices the farmers have been receiving is that they have been overproducing," he said. "During the war years farm production increased greatly. The average cereal crops for the five years 1910-1914 was four and one-half billion bushels. Stimulated by war needs the production increased to about five and one-half billion bushels in 1918 and 1919 and almost six billion bushels in 1920."

"Several forces are working toward a more nearly normal relation between things produced on the farm and things produced in the cities and industrial centers. More farmers are leaving the farms than in times past. Wages in the cities even for the commonest labor are higher relatively than wages on the farm."

Secretary Wallace said the advance in prices of coarse grains and the concluding profitable prices of livestock has led to marked improvement in conditions in the great corn belt surplus producing country, he said.

"There has been less improvement in the wheat growing regions of the northwest and the southwest," he said. "Prices of wheat are much better but in those sections weather conditions were unfavorable and many farmers got poor crops. High freight rates take too much out of the price of wheat. Prospects of better foreign demand give hope to the wheat farmer."

"In dairy sections of the west the farmers are coming thru very well. From the corn belt eastward farmers have not suffered so severely as in the west. Freight rates have not hit them so hard. Farming there is more diversified and a greater variety of cash crops is produced."

"The experience of the past three years has brought home to the nation its dependence upon agriculture."

CHICAGO POLICE HUNT BOY BANDITS

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—With every policeman in Chicago on the trail, Chief Fitzmorris tonight sent men out to find two suspects wanted for the killing of Ralph Souders, a probationary policeman who was shot down by a pair of youthful bandits this morning while guarding the cash register of an outlying grocery store.

To encourage the hunters, the company offered a reward of \$5,000 for the policeman's slayers and the city council will be asked to give as much more.

One of the bandits was shot in the arm by the manager of the store while escaping and discarded his overcoat to bind up the wound. From a card found in the coat police began hunting for two 17 year old boys on murder charges. One is said to be the son of a policeman.

The holdup netted the slayer and his companion \$10.

Souders leaves a widow, who is soon to become a mother, and a two year old child.

BREAK UP MOONSHINE RING AT GRANITE, IOWA

(By The Associated Press)
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 19.—Prohibition agents who returned to Minneapolis tonight from Granite, Iowa, declared they had broken up a bootlegging ring which has been supplying most of the liquor trade in northwest Iowa and around Sioux Falls, S. D.

James Deocet and J. F. Connel were arrested in a raid at Granite during which 800 gallons of moonshine liquor and four large stills were confiscated. They already were charged with the sale and manufacturing of liquor.

"From the reports the agents brought back, I am satisfied that they have cleaned up one of the largest liquor plants in Iowa," H. L. Duncan, prohibition director for the northwest said. "These bootleggers had made Granite one of the moonshine distributing centers of the northwest."

PRISONER'S ILLNESS POSTPONES TRIAL

Clinton, Wis., Dec. 19.—Serious illness of Ann Lenz, facing a first degree murder charge in connection with the poison candy "death" of Mrs. Theresa Schneider, forced a postponement today of the preliminary hearing until January 15, and made necessary the issuance of new warrants.

Picked?



Expected resignation of Associate Justice Pitney of the U. S. Supreme Court may be followed by appointment of Robert von Moschizker, above, chief justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, to succeed him.

JUDGE M. L. M'KINLEY SUMMONS HEAD OF ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

Refuses to Swear to Petition After Making Protest

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Elmer E. Davis, head of the Anti-Saloon League of Illinois was summoned before the grand jury today on a subpoena issued by Chief Justice Michael L. McKinley of the criminal court. Judge McKinley took action after he said Mr. Davis refused to swear to a petition for an investigation into the liquor conditions in Chicago.

Mr. Davis presented his petition yesterday charging city officials with delinquency in enforcing the prohibition laws and asserting general conditions pointed toward a breakdown of the machinery designated for enforcement of the search and seizure act. Judge McKinley asked Mr. Davis for a sworn petition and supporting affidavits and Mr. Davis said he could supply neither.

Judge McKinley said his reason for summoning Mr. Davis before the grand jury was "to give him no chance to go back to his organization or before the public with any statement that he had been refused an opportunity to present his case."

ROCKFORD MEN ARE DISCHARGED

(By The Associated Press)
FREEPORT, Ill., Dec. 19.—Ten Rockford, Ill., men accused of stealing radiators and other government property from Camp Grant were discharged today by United States Commissioner Vance. They were J. H. Krause, Johnman said to be wealthy; J. H. Rubin, Joe Wallack, Mike Lironwetska, Mike Kaluski, George Chernovik, Joe Schreiber, R. D. Gregory, M. H. Rotsin and Tony Antonio. Wallace, Lironwetska, Kaluski, Chernovik, Schreiber and Gregory were employees of Krause.

Testimony was taken only in the case of Krause and Commissioner Vance held that the evidence did not warrant holding him and ordered his discharge. Government attorneys then asked that inasmuch as practically the same testimony would be offered in the other cases all be discharged.

This action was taken but it was intimated the cases may be brought to the attention of the grand jury.

MRS. VICTORIA TUREK ACQUITTED OF MURDER

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Victoria Turek today was freed of a charge of murder in connection with the death by hanging of her husband last May when Leopold Mikrut refused to implicate her. Although the state had claimed to have confessed from the couple have pleaded guilty and been sentenced to prison for 14 years, the latter declared Mrs. Turek innocent and the state dismissed the case against both.

Mrs. Turek is 34 years old and the mother of three children. She and Mikrut were arrested by the police after her husband's body was found hanging in his home.

The state charged a conspiracy on the part of Mrs. Turek and Mikrut to dispose of the husband.

ARREST FOLLOWS PETERSBURG FIRES

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 19.—Four fires in five days from the same place were too much for officials at Petersburg, southwest of here and when the East Side pool room was gutted by fire late tonight the proprietor, Tony Danico, was arrested. Police and county officials testified as to evidence of oil in the building.

Firemen responding to calls there in the last few days found first a pool table burning, then an oil soaked bundle of sticks in the rear on fire, next a pile of rubbish in the basement burning and tonight the whole room was ablaze when found. Joe Danico, the owner, was arrested recently in a prohibition raid and his brother was in charge.

Insurance was taken out by Danico a few weeks ago.

TURKISH FEARS MAY CAUSE BREAKING OF WHOLE CONFERENCE

See Airplanes With Bombs and Submarines, in Dreams

(By The Associated Press)
LAUSANNE, Dec. 19.—Turkish fears of submarines, Turkish fears of swiftly flying military airplanes, laden with bombs, and, generally Turkish fears of aggression from without that will put Constantinople in danger have placed the whole Lausanne conference in jeopardy.

The United States is silent on the situation, but the allied leaders say tonight that they have uttered their last word on the question of liberty of the straits. Tomorrow the Turks must say yes or no to the allied proposal.

The British experts have left for England, believing their work to have been completed and the French experts are preparing to depart tomorrow night at the conclusion of the "last session" for discussion of the straits. Whether a rupture will come on the straits problem depends chiefly on whether the entente diplomats and their experts can remove the Turkish fears. This they are trying to do tonight.

The diplomats are endeavoring to convince the Ankara statesmen that the strait project is essentially framed to meet the conditions in times of peace and the allies are not in any sinister hidden manner seeking facilities for war and especially against Turkey. They say they have sought only the equality of all fleets passing thru the straits on peaceful errands.

The allies have emphasized that they cannot accept the Turkish request for the suppression of submarines and military airplanes, especially they have been unable to accept the Ottoman suggestion that combined foreign fleets entering the Black Sea shall not exceed in strength the fleet of the strongest naval power of the Black Sea.

"That would make the Black Sea forbidden ground," said a French expert tonight.

As the Russians are here only for a discussion of the straits question tomorrow may see the last of them at Lausanne. They still are in a fighting mood. George Tchitcherine who was in an argumentative form, tried to win American sympathy for the Russian straits project by insisting that it incorporated the American idea of beneficent wars.

But the allies have agreed that the Moscow straits plan is unacceptable. Tchitcherine made a dramatic plea to the world masses. He said Russia was convinced the world's peoples were back of Russia in her attempts to secure international justice. He also bitterly condemned what he called "marinism" adding "I mean the sea militarism which hopes to strangle Russia."

An additional fear of the Turks which the allies must calm tomorrow is that with which they are dramatic in proposed international commission to supervise control of the straits. The Turks claim the commission will be ineffectual in nature, that it may infringe Turkish sovereignty and finally, that it may be used as a club by some powers to threaten Turkey.

Hence their ambition to have a general guaranteed pact signed at Lausanne which will assure the neutrality of the straits and prevent acts of hostility in Turkish territorial waters. It was pointed out tonight that failure of the straits negotiations would not necessarily imply failure on other vital matters of the Lausanne agenda, one of which is arranging peace between Greece and Turkey and the allies.

AMATEUR RADIO CROSSES ATLANTIC

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 19.—For the first time during the three annual trans-Atlantic tests of the American Radio Relay League, an amateur radio station has succeeded in crossing the continent and the Atlantic as well. It was announced at league headquarters today that Station 6KA, operated by F. E. Nikirk, at Los Angeles, Cal., was heard yesterday by radio amateurs in France.

THE WEATHER

Illinois—Mostly cloudy Wednesday; warmer in south and colder in north portions in afternoon or night; Thursday fair.

Temperatures—maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Tuesday were:

Jacksonville, Ill.	31	33	1
Boston	18	20	14
Buffalo	18	18	6
New York	22	24	14
Jacksonville, Fla.	54	56	44
New Orleans	56	58	43
Chicago	26	26	8
Detroit	16	18	4
Omaha	42	46	12
Minneapolis	20	20	-6
Helena	40	42	20
San Francisco	52	60	43

THE JOURNAL

Published every morning except Monday by the JACKSONVILLE JOURNAL CO., 222 West State St., Jacksonville, Ill.

W. L. FAY, President
SUBSCRIPTION RATES
Daily, single copy, 10c
Daily, by carrier, per week, 65c
Daily, by mail, per year, \$7.00
Daily, by mail, 2 months, \$1.50
Daily, by mail, 1 year, \$12.00

Entered at the postoffice in Jacksonville, as second-class mail matter.

Member the ASSOCIATED PRESS. The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper, and also the local news published herein.

THE STATE POLICE PROJECT.

There is increasing attention in Illinois for state police force. This is developing because of experiences of sixteen states with state police forces and because of the growing need. There has been a general realization that the development of the hard road system carries with it the necessity for better protection for the rural precincts.

With good roads and automo-

RIALTO

Today and Tomorrow
Prices 10c and 25c
Tax Included

The Romance Magnificent
Adolph Zukor Presents a
George Fitzmaurice Production

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD

—WITH—
BETTY COMPSON

—AND—
BERT LYTELL

Supported by Theodore Kosloff, W. J. Ferguson, Raymond Hatton, Walter Long. More gorgeous thrills, more daring adventures, more brilliant beauty than you've ever seen on the screen before.

Also a Good Comedy

Grand Theatre

Matinee and Night **TODAY** Matinee and Night

The photoplay that set New York agog—that has received more praise than any other picture of the year—the mightiest melodrama ever screened!

PRISCILLA DEAN

Supported by Lon Chaney, in

"Outside the Law"

The Greatest American Melodrama Ever Screened

You'll have the time of your life—keeping track of the electrifying young woman—known as Silky Moll—who is the outstanding personality in this whirling, rushing story! When the big fight at the end comes, one hand will be at your heart and the other at your throat, for it is the most breathless photoplay you have seen in years! You'll be plunged right into some of the most desperate work after dark that any city ever knew, and you'll like it!

10c All Seats 10c

Your Chance to Secure Furniture

That is in Every Way Like New at About

One Half New Prices

These goods were placed with us by people moving away from the city. We agreed to refinish and sell at approximately one-half the price paid. Furniture has only been in use a short time. Many of the pieces are just like new.

- One Genuine American Walnut Dresser, looks new; large perfect mirror.
- 1 Princess Dresser, full size and with an extraordinarily large perfect mirror—oak.
- 1 full size Princess Dresser, 18x40, French mirror; Colonial style.
- 1 McDougall complete Kitchen Cabinet, porcelain top.
- 1 William and Mary style China Closet.
- 1 28x45 heavy Fumed Library Table.
- 1 set Triplicate Mirror Dressing Table, Dressing Table Chair and Hooker—Ivory finish.
- Large Golden Oak China Closet.
- 2 Iron Beds and 2 springs. 1 Gas Range.
- Fumed Oak Easy Chair, cane seat and back; newest style.
- 2 Wash Stands and 3 Rugs.
- Remember these goods are being handled on commission and you are buying at the owner's price. We invite your comparison as to prices.

H. R. HART

East Room, 316 East State Street
(The Arcade)

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

Faint Heart's Christmas Plea

By Berton Braley

O H. Santa, oh, St. Nicholas, who brings us gifts to tickle us,
Who rambles in and scrambles down the flue;
Among your visits various to houses multifarious
There is a task I'd like to ask of you;
I love a sweet divinity, a pearl of femininity,
Her hand I seek—but I'm too meek, I guess;
Please put her in your sleigh with you and hurry her away
And bring the Miss direct to this Address!

MY heart may show unsteadiness but all shall be in readiness
If you continue to make the drive with her;
Instead of stockings hung about—as all the bards have sung
—about—

You'll find I've hung a trousseau, as it were,
Of faintly fashioned cunning, which will bedeck her stunningly.

If, as I hope, she will elope with me;
Convention cannot harry us if you, a Saint, will marry us;
Who'd dare deny a Saint's propriety?

PRAY, Santa, give a lift to me and bring this precious gift to me,
You have the verve and easy nerve I lack,
But once you safely land her here, I think she'll find life grander here.

And never sue or clamor to go back;
And as the time goes whirling and Christmas comes re-curringly,
We may have flocks of little sox to hang,
Yes if the fates will humor us with rots, however numerous,
We'll just make you a Godfather to The Gang!

(Copyright, 1922, NEA Service)

form. The idea took. He was elected. And when members of the city council discovered he was really in earnest in the matter, they too spurned the offer of salary and pitched in to get the town out of debt. Citizens generally co-operated with the movement until today, after a period of three years, the city is on the verge of a boom.

"If there are any towns in Utah or elsewhere similarly situated, a like experiment might prove profitable."

WINTER MAGIC

(N. E. A.)

Far north in the Yukon and eastward to Hudson's Bay, the thermometer has dropped to 50 below zero and heavy winter snows are falling. Behold nature working mysterious magic!

The ptarmigan bird's colored plumage has suddenly turned white. This blends into the background of snow, making the ptarmigan invisible when sought by preying foxes and wolves. No man could think of a better protection.

In the same country the brown stoat or weasel also turns white, yielding the expensive fur, ermine. This little animal does not need protection as much as the plump ptarmigan. Why the white? Nature provides it because white fur is an insulator, prevents the escape of bodily heat. Tropical people work the rule backward, wear white because it absorbs less external heat than colors.

Fur is our "intelligence," compared with nature. Do you hate winter? It's necessary, Prof. J. Arthur Thomson, in his "Outline of Science," analyzes the biology of the seasons.

Winter, he decides, comes after the great activity of summer by the law that rest must follow toil.

Most humans do their best work in winter, instead of resting. That's because we live unnaturally—have gradually built up powers to enable us to "carry on" regardless of season, climate or weather.

If we lived more naturally, nature would take better care of us. Possibly disease germs and epidemics are nature's ways of punishing us for straying from her fold.

We defy winter, yet during it are conscious of repeated attacks

of languor and "out of sorts" feelings and moods that we cannot understand. All these are our inheritance of the more natural lives of our ancestors—inexorable laws of nature stirring in our blood and brains.

"Winter," writes Thomson, "is a time of sitting—the time of severest elimination. The rest and sleep of winter are often the necessary conditions of the vigor of another spring, but in a deeper way it is thru the sitting, winnowing, pruning or elimination of ages of winters that there has been spring after spring of progressive evolution."

Let's see. It would be perfectly natural for us to toil in summer and autumn, accumulating surplus food, fuel, clothing and shelter for winter. Then, from October to April we could enjoy ourselves at ease, playing, visiting, thinking, with occasional sports such as fishing thru the ice or hunting. Would you prefer that kind of life?

Alas! It might be natural, but mother would get the raw end of the deal. Her work would go on—cooking, cleaning, mending and directing. Nature usually is kindest to the male.

FUNERALS

German Funeral services for John L. German were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Salem Evangelical church, in charge of Rev. J. G. Kuppfer, pastor of the church. There were many friends and relatives of Mr. German at the services. Mrs. Robert Stice, wife of Mrs. W. C. Brune, as accompanist, sang "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer My God to Thee," and all present joined with her in singing "Who Knows How Near My End Shall Be?"

In charge of the many beautiful flowers were Misses Mabel Tholen, Lulu Smith, Marie and Louise Tobin. The bearers were cousins of the deceased, Charles German, Chris German, Louis Wahl, William Thies, Fred Thies and John German. Interment was in Diamond Grove cemetery.

FOR SALE

Some loose straw, delivered; also Duroc Jersey boars, priced to sell. Jacksonville Tile Co. Phone 728-Y.

Mrs. Porter Bell was a holiday shopper in the city yesterday from Woodson.

Liggett's candies, Perfumes, Cigars. GILBERT'S

SCOTT'S THEATRE

LAST TIME TODAY

RICHARD BARTHELMLESS

—IN—

"THE BOND BOY"

WHAT A PICTURE!

The finest Barthelmless has given. The story of a boy who passed through slavery for his mother—and to the shadow of the gallows to save a woman.

Added attraction, a good 2-reel comedy

"MY HERO"

10c and 25c—Tax Included

Coming Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "Fools First"

MRS. DARLEY SUFFERS PAINFUL INJURIES

Thrown From Seat of Automobile When Car Goes Into Ditch—Brought to this City for Treatment.

Mrs. Samuel Darley of the Franklin neighborhood suffered painful injuries Tuesday morning when coming to Jacksonville in an auto driven by her son Samuel Jr. As the car turned a corner near Pisgah, the road was unexpectedly blocked by a large drove of hogs. Mr. Darley was unable to stop the car immediately and in order to avoid striking the hogs, he was forced to run into the ditch.

Mrs. Darley was sitting in the back seat of the machine and as the car hit the ditch she was thrown from the seat. She was holding her little grandchild on her lap and in order to shield the child, Mrs. Darley suffered injuries herself. She was brought to Jacksonville and taken to the home of a friend. A physician was summoned and it was found that although there were no broken bones, Mrs. Darley had suffered quite painful and severe injuries.

The automobile was not damaged and the other occupants of the car escaped uninjured.

FOR SALE—Cheap, Ford Touring car and Ford Sedan. C. N. PRIEST Motor Car Co.

ALEXANDER SCHOOL TO PRESENT OPERETTA

Pupils of Alexander School to Present "The Enchanted Wood" Friday Evening—The Cast of Characters.

The pupils of the Alexander school will present a Juvenile Operetta, "The Enchanted Wood," on Friday, December 22. Performances at 2:00 P. M. and 7 P. M.

Cast of Characters
Fairy Queen—Willie Coop.
Mother Goose—Paul Saylor.
Teacher—Sallie Basham.
Six lost school children:—
Miss Muffit—Rose Hartzell.
Misses Mary—Emola Duke.
Boopie—Ona Mae Duke.
Simple Simon—Cloyd D. Beerup.

Boy Blue—Ben Beerup.
Jack Horner—Franklin Elmore.
Maid of Honor to Fairy Queen—

John Johnson.
Margaret Dowell.

Queen's train-bearers:—
Annette Shockey.

Mabel Wagner.

Six Poppy Fairies:—
Virginia Beerup.

Dorothy Kumble.

Catherine Morgan.

Virginia Keenan.

Beulah Robbins.

Zula Dowell.

Wanda Kumble.

Florence Schott.

Mildred Wagner.

Erma Borgs.

Chorus of Court Fairies:—
Rose Marie Hohman.

Harriet Cocklin.

Noelie Hall.

Betty Morgan.

Ruby Bull.

Lacelle Duke.

Boy Scouts:—
Captain—Talbert Keenan.

Scouts:—
Francis Kaiser.

John Coop.

Roy Davidson.

Carl Kaiser.

Hubert Coop.

Earleigh Davenport.

Robert Elmore.

Aubrey Duke.

Edward Johnson.

Paul Kaiser.

OPEN EVENINGS

until 9 o'clock up to Christmas. Don't forget our special \$15 dress sale ends today.

SHANKEN'S

OLD FAMILY SECURES TEMPORARY HOME

E. A. Olds and family will very soon occupy the home of the late Mrs. Julia Randall, 229 West College avenue. A. C. Rice is the administrator of the estate, and as the furnished house has been unoccupied since Mrs. Randall's death it is possible for Mr. Rice to rent it for a few months.

RICH CUT GLASS Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

Special now at PRICE'S.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC AT I. C. CHAPEL TODAY

Special Christmas music at Illinois College this morning at the chapel hour, will consist of orchestra numbers and a number of Spanish songs by the Spanish club male quartet, accompanied by a quartet of stringed instruments. The orchestra and the two quartets are composed entirely of college students.

Arthur Howells, Lester Cornick, Willard Rubendall and Russell Pinkerton are the singers, and their accompanists are Professor R. O. Busey, Arthur Hart, Roy Blauvelt and Roger Carter.

The members of the orchestra are: Violins, Elizabeth Scott, Marjorie Black, Louise Struck, Hugh Wilson; cornet, Willard Rubendall; trombone, Russell Pinkerton; clarinet, Arthur Hart, R. O. Busey; saxophone, George Harris; piano, Catherine Wilson.

Program.

Old Carolina—Orchestra.

Rosario la Aurora—Quartette.

Nach de Paz (Holy Night)—Quartette.

Of du Son en Alta Esfera—Quartette.

Winter Memories—Orchestra.

O Sole Mio—Quartette.

Venid Feliz Todos—Quartette.

Vilancico (Christmas Carol)—Quartette.

March—Orchestra.

Soft shell English walnuts, large red cherries, extra white pineapple, shelled pecans, walnuts, almonds and peanuts, white grapes and sweet oranges, at MERRIGAN'S

HERE FROM DENVER TO VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Leach accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Allen W. Stewart arrived in the city Tuesday evening about 8 o'clock from Denver, Colorado.

The party left Denver Saturday morning and the trip was made without mishap. Mr. Leach's Dodge Sedan. Speaking of the trip last night Mr. Leach said he had no trouble of any kind. He traveled an average of 18 miles on a gallon of gas and 250 miles on a quart of oil. The distance by automobile is approximately 1,100 miles.

The roads, Mr. Leach said were good, tho rough. They did not encounter any snow until about fifty miles west of Hannibal but found more snow in Jacksonville than any other place along the way. Mr. and Mrs. Leach expect to remain in Jacksonville for a visit of several weeks.

SPECIAL

We are making a Christmas special on 1lb box chocolates at 30c, at MERRIGAN'S

RADIO CLUB DEBATES AMATEUR AIR RIGHTS

"That the amateur has just as much right to the air as the broadcasting stations" is the contention of the affirmative in a debate to be held this afternoon by the Radio club of the high school. This question was recently the subject of a test suit in one of the circuit courts of the state, in which an amateur was sued by a broadcasting company.

The affirmative will be upheld by Henry English and Merle Martin, and the negative will be presented by Allen Kelly and Harry Furry.

Something in silver from PRICE'S, a wise gift.

WANTS RECORDS OF POULTRY FLOCKS

County Farm Adviser George R. Kendall is asking two women in each township in Morgan county to keep an accurate record of their poultry flocks. This is being done in connection with the poultry extension work which is being conducted thru the Farm Bureau this winter. The work is being undertaken in an effort to increase the egg output and the general profits of poultry flocks in the county.

RICH CUT GLASS Special now at PRICE'S.

STATE TEACHERS TO MEET IN SPRINGFIELD

Dates Are December 27, 28 and 29—Many Prominent Speakers Will Be On Program.

The 69th annual meeting of the Illinois State Teachers' Association will be held in Springfield on December 27, 28 and 29. The headquarters of the meeting will be in the St. Nicholas hotel and the general sessions of the conference will be held in the State Capitol building.

The first general session will be held Wednesday evening and the president of the state association, J. O. Engleman, of Joliet, will make an address. At this session Honorable Francis G. Blair, superintendent of public instruction in Illinois, will also make an address. Among others who will

appear on the program of the convention are Miss Carl O. Williams, field secretary of the National Education Association Washington, D. C., ex-governor Martin G. Brumbaugh of Pennsylvania and George A. Works of Ithaca New York. The county superintendent will hold a sectional meeting presided over by the president, Francis G. Blair, on Thursday morning, December 28.

B. F. Shafer, superintendent of the Jacksonville public schools County Superintendent, H. H. Vasconcelos, and a large number of the local teachers are planning to attend these meetings.

OPEN EVENINGS

until 9 o'clock up to Christmas. Don't forget our special \$15 dress sale ends today.

SHANKEN'S

We Will Remain Open

Saturday Evening

from

8:30 to 10:30

To Receive Deposits

Elliott State Bank

3 per cent Paid on Saving Deposits
Your Weekly Savings Bank

If you want something nobby in the way of a

HAT



Come here and let us show you the latest things "what are." We have a splendid line of felt hats at prices that make quick sales and satisfied buyers. Big line of Caps, too.

John Carl, the Hatter

36 North Side Square

Happy Is the One Who Receives a

DIAMOND

on Christmas Morning

To the one you love best give a diamond, then throughout the years of its endless life it will continue to throw out rays of love and affection to the one whom it adorns.

We have a wonderful assortment of loose diamonds and diamond set jewelry. Your early inspection of these gems is invited.

Schram & Buhrman

"Gifts That Last"

We Give Merchants' Gift Coupons

CITY AND COUNTY

Carl Bitter of Bluffs was one of Jacksonville's business visitors yesterday.

Mrs. William Davidson was in Alexander people noted on local streets Tuesday were Harry Gray and Mrs. W. E. Morrow.

ROCKERS, Library Tables Floor Lamps, Cedar Chests, make fine gifts. Get our low prices, and Gift Coupons. PEOPLE'S Furniture Co., So. Sandy.

Miss Lou Duncan and Miss Dorothea Sargent were representa-

lives of Franklin in local shops yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Douglas of Franklin were in Jacksonville on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cox of Savannah drove to the city Tuesday.

Mrs. George Jolly of Waverly visited Jacksonville Tuesday.

Miss Alice Crane was a city visitor from Winston Tuesday.

NOTICE

As has been our custom in the past, we will remain open Saturday night from 8:30 p. m. to 10:30 p. m. to receive deposits for the convenience of our customers.

FARRELL STATE BANK
The Bank That Service Built

Mrs. Hattie Burton of Waverly was a holiday purchaser here Tuesday.

Miss Louise Brown of New Berlin was a city caller Tuesday.

Mrs. O. L. Hudson, Mrs. F. M. Todd and Mrs. John Todd com-

Lay in your supply this week at these

Low Prices

Spaghetti, 3 pounds for 25c

Macaroni, 3 pounds for 25c

Pearl Barley, 3 pounds 25c

Green Tea, 1 pound for 25c

New York pure Buckwheat 5 pound sack..... 40c

Self Rising Pan Cake Flour per package 10c

Morgan County Honey, per frame 25c

Pure old fashion Sorghum, Last barrel just opened. Per gallon 85c

9 oz. can Baking Powder and 1 oz. bottle lemon Extract for 15c

Get our price on P. & G. Soap, Flour, Sugar, Canned Goods of all kinds in dozen lots.

New Holland Herring, Milchners, per keg \$1.25

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Harry Wessler of Arenzville was listed among Tuesday callers in Jacksonville.

Miss Fannie Masters of Port Wayne, Indiana is expected to arrive today to spend the holidays with her father, Frank Masters of Lynville. She will also be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jordan on West North street.

Bicycles make a fine Christmas gift for a boy or girl; a useful and lasting present. Our prices are low, our wheels the best.

BRADY BROS.

Harold McDevitt, who is a student at the University of Illinois, is expected home on Thursday to spend the holidays at the home of his mother, Mrs. Grace McDevitt on Greenwood Avenue.

Lyle Hart of Pontiac is expected home this week to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hart of Sinclair.

READ THIS

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Mrs. Rue Jones of Detroit, Mich., is to be a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey on East Greenwood.

READ THIS

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Mrs. Rue Jones of Detroit, Mich., is to be a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey on East Greenwood.

READ THIS

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Mrs. Rue Jones of Detroit, Mich., is to be a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey on East Greenwood.

READ THIS

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Mrs. Rue Jones of Detroit, Mich., is to be a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey on East Greenwood.

READ THIS

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Mrs. Rue Jones of Detroit, Mich., is to be a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey on East Greenwood.

READ THIS

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Mrs. Rue Jones of Detroit, Mich., is to be a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey on East Greenwood.

READ THIS

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

We do not charge city prices. You can get a nice plant or cut flowers reasonable at HEINL'S.

Say It With Flowers

Mrs. Rue Jones of Detroit, Mich., is to be a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey on East Greenwood.

Millions Ahead



A trip abroad has brought \$5,000 to Mrs. Ida M. French, above, daughter of the late Robert J. Wynne, former postmaster general. London courts awarded her this sum from her husband's estate. The couple has been remarried.

WOODSON CHURCH TO HAVE XMAS PROGRAM

Committees Busy Preparing for Entertainment at Christmas Church Next Sunday Night—Other Woodson News.

Woodson, Dec. 19.—A pageant, "The Gift of Love" is to be presented as a special Christmas feature at the Woodson Christian church next Sunday evening.

Various committees in charge of the arrangements are listed below:

Tree Committee—J. T. Self, Nellis Crain, Johnson Sheppard.

Committee on Tree Decoration—Glady's Fanning, Mary J. Owens, Zella Crain, Lucille Sheppard.

Committee on Removing Gifts From Tree—Nellis Crain's class of boys.

Committee on Calling Names—Fred Henry, Nellis Crain, Dr. R. R. Jones, J. H. Shirley, J. T. Self.

Committee on Delivering Presents—Mrs. Nettie Ezard's class of girls.

The men and boys of the church are to contribute rabbits and these gifts are to be sent to the Christian Orphanage at St. Louis. The articles are to be brought to the church Monday afternoon and will be shipped Tuesday morning. The committee in charge of the shipping includes Fred Henderson, I. H. Fuller and Amos Harney.

Costume Committee—Mrs. I. H. Fuller, Mrs. J. H. Shirley, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Fred Kitter, Mrs. Johnson Sheppard, and Mrs. Edward Gallagher.

Woman's Club Meets

The Woman's club held the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. R. C. Megginson. The hostesses in addition to Mrs. Megginson were Mrs. J. Chester Colton, Mrs. H. F. Smith and Miss Marguerite Steinmetz. After the business session came a brief program including the following:

Paper, "The Origin of Christmas"—Mrs. Fred Quimby.

Song, "Beautiful Little Hands"—Hilred Megginson.

Reading—Mrs. Paul Gordon.

Song—Mrs. H. F. Smith.

At the close of the program came a brief social hour.

News Notes

Rev. I. H. Fuller has announced that his subject next Sunday morning at the Christian church will be "The Christ."

Mrs. John Wilber, who has spent the past week at Griggsville, returned home Monday morning.

Rev. I. H. Fuller returned Monday night from Kansas City, where he visited for several days.

Mrs. Hanback of Pearl, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Owens the past ten days, returned to her home Sunday.

P. T. A. MEETING IS HELD AT FRANKLIN

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of Franklin was held Tuesday evening at the school building. Mrs. W. C. Hart, the president, was in the chair and the address of the evening was by Dr. H. W. Sears. The speaker made a splendid talk, giving many worth while suggestions for both parents and teachers.

At the close of the address some time was spent very pleasantly in a social way. A candy and popcorn sale was one feature of the evening and netted a neat sum for the organization's treasury.

I want..... shares

Fill out and call J. O. Applebee, Secy., Jacksonville Savings & Loan, and give a fine Christmas present. Phone 615-X or Farrell State bank.

OTHER CA

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

MANCHESTER COUPLE TO VISIT IN WEST

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCracken to Visit Daughters in California and New Mexico—Other Manchester Notes.

Manchester, Dec. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCracken are to leave tonight for Anaheim, Cal., where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. James McBride. They expect to be gone about three months and will also visit another daughter, Mrs. Walter Stanbaugh in New Mexico, before their return home.

Miss Dorothy Livingston of Jacksonville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Greenwalt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Alred were St. Louis shoppers Monday.

William Moore, who suffered a paralytic stroke last week, still remains in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hauck of Rochester, Minn., arrived Monday night to spend the holidays with Mrs. Hauck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Greenwalt.

William Clark, who has been quite ill for some time, is leaving soon for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he will remain for a few weeks for the benefit of his health.

John Windsor, who has been working at Beardstown for several weeks, spent the week end with his home folks here. He was unable to return to his work Monday on account of illness.

Among Jacksonville shoppers Monday were Mrs. L. C. Funk, Mrs. Herbert McDonald, Mrs. Clinton McDonald, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Curtis Kelly.

Mrs. John Hardy and daughter Lucille and Miss Mabel Blackburn were Jacksonville shoppers Tuesday.

WE DELIVER SUNDAY

Cut Flowers and Plants any place in the United States. Order at once; stock scarce.

JOS. HEINL & SONS

Florists

WOODSON CHURCH TO HAVE XMAS PROGRAM

Committees Busy Preparing for Entertainment at Christmas Church Next Sunday Night—Other Woodson News.

Woodson, Dec. 19.—A pageant, "The Gift of Love" is to be presented as a special Christmas feature at the Woodson Christian church next Sunday evening.

Various committees in charge of the arrangements are listed below:

Tree Committee—J. T. Self, Nellis Crain, Johnson Sheppard.

Committee on Tree Decoration—Glady's Fanning, Mary J. Owens, Zella Crain, Lucille Sheppard.

Committee on Removing Gifts From Tree—Nellis Crain's class of boys.

Committee on Calling Names—Fred Henry, Nellis Crain, Dr. R. R. Jones, J. H. Shirley, J. T. Self.

Committee on Delivering Presents—Mrs. Nettie Ezard's class of girls.

The men and boys of the church are to contribute rabbits and these gifts are to be sent to the Christian Orphanage at St. Louis. The articles are to be brought to the church Monday afternoon and will be shipped Tuesday morning. The committee in charge of the shipping includes Fred Henderson, I. H. Fuller and Amos Harney.

Costume Committee—Mrs. I. H. Fuller, Mrs. J. H. Shirley, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Fred Kitter, Mrs. Johnson Sheppard, and Mrs. Edward Gallagher.

Woman's Club Meets

The Woman's club held the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. R. C. Megginson. The hostesses in addition to Mrs. Megginson were Mrs. J. Chester Colton, Mrs. H. F. Smith and Miss Marguerite Steinmetz. After the business session came a brief program including the following:

Paper, "The Origin of Christmas"—Mrs. Fred Quimby.

Song, "Beautiful Little Hands"—Hilred Megginson.

Reading—Mrs. Paul Gordon.

Song—Mrs. H. F. Smith.

At the close of the program came a brief social hour.

News Notes

Rev. I. H. Fuller has announced that his subject next Sunday morning at the Christian church will be "The Christ."

Mrs. John Wilber, who has spent the past week at Griggsville, returned home Monday morning.

Rev. I. H. Fuller returned Monday night from Kansas City, where he visited for several days.

Mrs. Hanback of Pearl, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Owens the past ten days, returned to her home Sunday.

P. T. A. MEETING IS HELD AT FRANKLIN

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of Franklin was held Tuesday evening at the school building. Mrs. W. C. Hart, the president, was in the chair and the address of the evening was by Dr. H. W. Sears. The speaker made a splendid talk, giving many worth while suggestions for both parents and teachers.

At the close of the address some time was spent very pleasantly in a social way. A candy and popcorn sale was one feature of the evening and netted a neat sum for the organization's treasury.

I want..... shares

Fill out and call J. O. Applebee, Secy., Jacksonville Savings & Loan, and give a fine Christmas present. Phone 615-X or Farrell State bank.

OTHER CA

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen

The Place

See This Big Special

Other Ca

Millions Ahead



A trip abroad has brought \$5,000 to Mrs. Ida M. French, above, daughter of the late Robert J. Wynne, former postmaster general. London courts awarded her this sum from her husband's estate. The couple has been remarried.

WOODSON CHURCH TO HAVE XMAS PROGRAM

Committees Busy Preparing for Entertainment at Christmas Church Next Sunday Night—Other Woodson News.

Woodson, Dec. 19.—A pageant, "The Gift of Love" is to be presented as a special Christmas feature at the Woodson Christian church next Sunday evening.

Various committees in charge of the arrangements are listed below:

Tree Committee—J. T. Self, Nellis Crain, Johnson Sheppard.

Committee on Tree Decoration—Glady's Fanning, Mary J. Owens, Zella Crain, Lucille Sheppard.

Committee on Removing Gifts From Tree—Nellis Crain's class of boys.

Committee on Calling Names—Fred Henry, Nellis Crain, Dr. R. R. Jones, J. H. Shirley, J. T. Self.

Committee on Delivering Presents—Mrs. Nettie Ezard's class of girls.

The men and boys of the church are to contribute rabbits and these gifts are to be sent to the Christian Orphanage at St. Louis. The articles are to be brought to the church Monday afternoon and will be shipped Tuesday morning. The committee in charge of the shipping includes Fred Henderson, I. H. Fuller and Amos Harney.

Costume Committee—Mrs. I. H. Fuller, Mrs. J. H. Shirley, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Fred Kitter, Mrs. Johnson Sheppard, and Mrs. Edward Gallagher.

Woman's Club Meets

The Woman's club held the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. R. C. Megginson. The hostesses in addition to Mrs. Megginson were Mrs. J. Chester Colton, Mrs. H. F. Smith and Miss Marguerite Steinmetz. After the business session came a brief program including the following:

Paper, "The Origin of Christmas"—Mrs. Fred Quimby.

Song, "Beautiful Little Hands"—Hilred Megginson.

Reading—Mrs. Paul Gordon.

Song—Mrs. H. F. Smith.

At the close of the program came a brief social hour.

News Notes

Rev. I. H. Fuller has announced that his subject next Sunday morning at the Christian church will be "The Christ."

Mrs. John Wilber, who has spent the past week at Griggsville, returned home Monday morning.

Rev. I. H. Fuller returned Monday night from Kansas City, where he visited for several days.

Mrs. Hanback of Pearl, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Owens the past ten days, returned to her home Sunday.

P. T. A. MEETING IS HELD AT FRANKLIN

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of Franklin was held Tuesday evening at the school building. Mrs. W. C. Hart, the president, was in the chair and the address of the evening was by Dr. H. W. Sears. The speaker made a splendid talk, giving many worth while suggestions for both parents and teachers.

At the close of the address some time was spent very pleasantly in a social way. A candy and popcorn sale was one feature of the evening and netted a neat sum for the organization's treasury.

I want..... shares

Fill out and call J. O. Applebee, Secy., Jacksonville Savings & Loan, and give a fine Christmas present. Phone 615-X or Farrell State bank.

OTHER CA

Fudge Cocomat, Mixed, Peanut Brittle, Caramels, Lady Cakes, Choice Box Candies.

Mullen</

Christmas Gifts

SHREVE'S

Drug Store

COUPONS

Christmas Holiday NOTICE

The Ayers National Bank for the convenience of the merchants will receive deposits Saturday night from 8:30 to 10:30 p. m. and thus enable them to avoid carrying their funds over until after the Christmas holidays.

The Ayers National Bank

Established 1852
Jacksonville, Illinois

Gift Coupons

"Christmas Gifts" Electrical



Grills
Hot Plates
Waffle Irons
Curling Irons
Irons (All Prices)

Percolators
Electric Vibrators
Turnover Toasters
Immersion Heaters
Sewing Machine Motors

Christmas Tree Light Outfits \$2.85

Dresser Lamps . \$2.85

Fixtures to Suit

Hieronimus Bros.

Phone 1729 221 S. Sandy St.

DENBY FURNISHES INFORMATION ON SCRAPPING SHIPS

Shows Neither U. S. Nor Japan Contemplate Further Work

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Responding to a house resolution Secretary Denby transmitted to congress today the information in the hands of the navy department on the status of war ships scrapped under the terms of the Washington arms conference naval treaty, or otherwise disposed of by signatories since the adjournment of the conference.

The report showed that neither the United States nor Japan plan to complete the scrapping of any existing capital ships, at least pending promulgation of the treaty, altho both nations have stopped work building programs of capital ships. Great Britain was shown to have disposed of or to be disposing of a considerable number of older capital ships.

Great Britain, Mr. Denby said at the time his information was gathered but which was not indicated, had broken up three capital ships; sold to be broken up seven; sold but not dismantled, one; completed mutilations on two and was engaged in mutilating six others. The Australian government, he added, had decided to scrap the battle cruiser Australia.

Thru her ministry of marine the secretary continued Japan "had stated that while work preliminary to scrapping will be done, the hulls will not be broken up or sunk until the treaty has been ratified by all the powers."

Tells of Preliminary Work

Certain preliminary work involving removal of guns, turrets, armor and engines was being done, he said on seven capital ships, three others had been placed in the fourth reserve and work had been suspended on six. Work on two others was proceeding with the evident intention of completing them as aircraft carriers permitted under the naval treaty. Neither Italy nor France was required by the treaty to scrap any completed vessels. One of the ships France was permitted to retain, Mr. Denby said, had been wrecked and that nation proposed to complete, as an aircraft carrier, one of the five battleships it had under construction at the beginning of the war.

Italy, Mr. Denby said, had disposed of one battleship under construction and had annulled contracts for three others.

In addition the Leonardo da Vinci battleship, permitted under the treaty, had been wrecked and would not be reconstructed.

BRIEFS

(By The Associated Press)

New York, Dec. 19.—Alleging liabilities of \$750,000 and assets of \$300,000, three creditors today filed an involuntary petition in bankruptcy against Max Spiegel, theatrical producer of this city.

Taylorville, Ill., Dec. 19.—Arthur Lockhard, cousin of former Deputy Sheriff Jerome Lockhard, who is serving time for complicity in the \$95,000 payroll robbery at Kincaid, August 13, 1921, and of "Peg" Lockhard, who was shot to death shortly after he made damaging disclosures as to the robbery was convicted here today of conspiracy in connection with the theft.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 19.—Prominent state officials and leaders in the public life of Wisconsin, will pay respect to the memory of former Governor Jan. A. C. Davidson, twenty-first chief executive of Wisconsin, at his funeral here this afternoon.

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 19.—H. W. Pierce of Normal committed suicide at an early hour this morning by hanging himself.

The coroner's jury returned a verdict of "death by hanging with suicidal intent."

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Dec. 19.—After fifty-one years of happy married life, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowers, died within ten hours of each other. Mrs. Bowers became ill while nursing her husband.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Four barns burned today brought the number of barns burned in Montgomery, Chester and Delaware counties to thirty-six since early October.

An organized band of "barn-burners" is credited by officials with the responsibility.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Probationary policeman Ralph S. Souders, was shot and killed by two bandits in an attempted hold-up on the south side today. The slayers attempted to rob a grocery store when the policeman went to the store manager's aid and was slain.

New York, Dec. 19.—Mrs. William F. Hitt, formerly Miss May Katherine Elkins, a daughter of the late Senator Elkins of West Virginia, has registered colors with the jockey club and plans to participate in events of the Metropolitan and Maryland turf in 1923. Johnny Haslings will train Mrs. Hitt's horses.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—Eight aliens including one woman left here today for New York from where they will be deported. The woman was charged with having stolen the affections of her sister's husband. With her was her 13 year old daughter.

New York, Dec. 19.—The birth of a grandson of the late Andrew Carnegie was announced today. The mother is Mrs. Roswell Miller, only child of the iron-master. Mr. Miller is an instructor in New York university.

Waterloo, Iowa, Dec. 19.—Bound, gagged and held helpless by three masked men, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Frederick, owners of a jewelry store on the seventh floor of Black's dry goods building, were forced to watch in silence as the robbers late yesterday made their escape with \$4,000 worth of diamonds and watches and \$200 in cash.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—A long distance phonograph, which will record sounds made hundreds of miles away was demonstrated to the Society of Western Engineers last night by E. H. Colpitts of the Western Electric Co. He also demonstrated a device thru which five conversations can be carried on over one telephone line, anyone being cut out at will by turning a switch.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Owen H. Fay, a pioneer cab man of Chicago, who remembered Presidents Garfield and McKinley, Robert Ingersoll, Jay Gould and Colonel Vanderbilt as among his passengers, of those days was dead here today. With the passing of horse drawn cabs, Fay became a proprietor of a taxicab business.

CHILD BORN AS DWELLING BURNS

Pittsburg, Dec. 19.—While the first floor of a frame building was being swept by fire today, a child was born to Mrs. Peter Kfaterinski, on the second floor. The attending physician remained with the mother. Her son living in the house, who had left the building notified the firemen. Mrs. Kraterinski and her baby were carried out by the fire-fighters and the physician followed.

BRACELET WATCHES Special, at PRICE'S.

LEAKY SHOES SPELL SICKNESS

Bring in the old shoes and let us fix them up as it should be done. A few dimes means months more wear.

L. L. BURTON
West Morgan Street

SUPREME COURT DECISION FAVORS SAMUEL ETTELSON

Important Highway Tax Decision Also is Made

(By The Associated Press)

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 19.—The Illinois supreme court adjourned after the December term today after handing down opinions in 108 cases. The decisions were said by court attaches to be more numerous than at any term in recent years.

Most of the cases were of local interest.

Samuel A. Ettelson, corporation counsel of Chicago, won his fight to be recognized by the board of local improvements of Chicago as the board's legal representative. The court awarded him a writ of mandamus against Michael J. Faherty, chairman of the board and the other board members.

Ordinances of the City of Chicago creating the office of corporation counsel and giving him authority over all legal business of the city were upheld. The appointment of George A. Curran to have charge of all legal matters pertaining to the board and the appointment of George P. Foster as special attorney in pending litigation were held by the court to be without authority of the board. The decision gives Ettelson the right to appoint an attorney for the board, but with the limitation that the appointee serve under the direction of the board.

The act of 1921, permitting counties which have not heretofore voted a tax in aid of state highways to levy for such purposes a tax of 25 cents on the \$100 valuation, was upheld by the court. Justices Thompson and Stone dissented from the majority opinion.

The opinion prepared by Justice Cartwright, affirms the county highway tax of Kankakee county, which was protested by the New York Central railroad. It was argued that the law was invalid because it exempted counties which had previously made a levy for state roads, but Justice Cartwright denies that the statute shows discrimination.

The judgment of the circuit court of Cook county is affirmed in the election contest case of William S. Swiney, James C. McGoon and Eugene Stewart against Thomas J. Peden, Emanuel Eller and Alberto N. Gualano for the office of associate judges of the municipal court. The election of the defendants was attacked on the ground that the certificate of nomination was not in conformity with the law. The court held this question should have been raised before the election. Failure to object then was a waiver of the objection, the opinion said.

Where a community high school district has been formed the high school erected and teachers employed it will be presumed that the district was legally organized until it is attacked in a direct action was the ruling in the case brought by T. W. Mercer, county treasurer of Bureau county to collect taxes from E. E. Zeigler. Zeigler objected to a tax on the ground that the district was not legally organized. The judgment of the Bureau county court was affirmed.

Title to 240 acres of valuable hunting and fishing land now occupied by the Duck Island Hunting and Fishing club, lying along the Illinois river in Fulton county is given to the club in an opinion reversing the judgment of the Fulton county circuit court. The lower court held that the rightful owners of the land were Chester L. Whitnah and Mrs. Perle W. Rohrer, who had claimed it by purchase of the adjoining land.

The land is ordinarily covered with water from the Illinois river but for a part of the year is dry and is used alternately by the club for hunting and fishing purposes. Its title was questioned by Whitnah and Mrs. Rohrer when Fulton county drainage district attempted to levy a tax.

They claimed their land bordered on the river and that when that portion of the river became dry its bed rightfully belonged to them. The court held they gained no title by virtue of their purchase of land along the river and that the track belonged to the club by right of long possession and because their title went back farther than that of the appellants.

ENTERTAINMENT AT GRACE CHURCH FRIDAY

A Christmas entertainment will be given at 7:30 Friday evening at Grace M. E. church. The public is invited.

All boys who are in the Brownie drill are expected to meet at Grace church at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Box Supper at Merritt Thursday night. Program. Ladies invited to bring boxes.

Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, For Sale

C. H. Swaby

Bancroft Optical Shop

STENOGRAPHERS

require good eyesight and comfortable eyes in order to do the most work with the least effort. Why not consider glasses a business investment.

"Have Your Eyes Examined Today"

Broken lenses replaced quickly and accurately

West State St., Over Gilbert's Drug Store

Sure, We Sell a Low-Priced Battery

A good one? The CW Battery (Wood Separator) is by far the best you can buy within several dollars of the price. Plates are good quality—separators are selected cedar wood. Workmanship is the best that can be put into a battery. Made in sizes to fit all cars.

PRICE

6 Volt 11 Plate.....	\$15.85
6 Volt 13 Plate.....	19.95
12 Volt	25.75

Free Testing and Filling
Generator and Starter Repairing a Specialty
Best Advice Always

The H. E. Wheeler Co.

213 South Main Telephone 1464


Willard Batteries

(THREADED RUBBER INSULATION)

and CW Batteries

(WOOD SEPARATORS)

Journal Want Ads for Results



Russell & Thompson's

New and Convenient Christmas Catalog

Now at the peak of Christmas buying we wish to advise our friends that never before have we had such complete and beautiful Christmas stocks to offer. You can buy here with the fullest confidence that every article offered is of highest standard—Nothing better—Priced right.

Gifts for Women

Diamond rings, \$15 to \$2,000.	Cuff pin sets, \$1.50 to \$15.
Diamond bar pins, \$25 to \$100.	Gold brooches, \$1.50 to \$40.
Diamond paved wedding rings, \$75 to \$350.	Lingerie clasp, \$2 to \$10.
Diamond dinner rings, \$75 to \$800.	Ear drops, \$3 to \$35.
Wrist watches, \$14 to \$125.	Rosaries, \$3 to \$65.
Indestructible pearl necklaces, \$5 to \$150	Locket and chains, \$8 to \$30.
Lodge emblems, \$1 to \$90.	Thumbies, 50c to \$8.
Eversharp pencils, \$1.50 to \$50.	Leather hand bags, \$5 to \$40.
Fountain pens, \$2.50 to \$60.	Traveling toilet sets, \$15 to \$40.
Gold bracelets, \$2.50 to \$75.	Sterling powder boxes, \$4 to \$12.
Stone set rings, \$4 to \$50.	Silver vanity cases, \$7.50 to \$15.
Cameo rings, \$5 to \$60.	Mesh bags, \$18 up.
Signet rings, \$5 to \$20.	Cigaret holders, \$1.50 to \$15.
Platinum front bar pins, \$8 to \$40.	Sterling manicure sets, \$12 to \$35.
Cameo brooches, \$6 to \$30.	Sterling toilet sets, \$20 to \$150.
	Desk clocks, \$4.50 to \$6.50.

Gifts for Men

Diamond rings, \$15 up.	Signet rings, \$7 to \$40.
Diamond scarf pins, \$10 up.	Link buttons, \$2 to \$35.
Diamond mounted emblem buttons \$10 up.	Scarf pins, \$1.50 to \$25.
Diamond link buttons, \$12 up.	Tie clasps, \$2 to \$15.
Full dress button sets, \$7 to \$200.	Gold and silver knives, \$3.
Strap watches, each \$12 to \$90.	Watch charms, \$5 to \$80.
Men's pocket watches, \$5 to \$350.	Military brushes, \$6 to \$50.
Watch chains, \$3 to \$100.	Field glasses, \$30 to \$50.
Watch fobs, each, \$3.50 to \$25.	Sterling cigarette cases, \$10 to \$40.
Belt buckles and belts, \$4.	Cigaret holders, \$3 to \$20.
Lodge emblems, \$1 to \$75.	Smoking sets in silver and bronze, \$3 to \$12.50.
Stone set rings, \$7 to \$50.	Desk clocks, \$5 to \$25.

Gifts for Children

Neck chains with pendants, \$2.50 to \$5.
Bracelets, \$2 to \$15.
Pin sets, \$1.50 to \$12.
Toy holders, \$1.50 to \$3.
Cups, \$2.50 to \$12.
Spoons, \$1.00 to \$2.50.
Knife, fork and spoon sets, \$4.00 to \$8.50.
Rings, \$1 to \$5.

For the Home

Dinnerware, also Hollowware in sterling silver, Sheffield silver and Dutch silver is shown in different styles and patterns.

EASLEY Furniture Store

Christmas time is cooking time. See our line of cook stoves.

\$30.50 to \$58.50

Think of it—New Cook Stoves at that price.

We give Gift Coupons on new and old accounts

Illinois Phone 1371
217 West Morgan St.

Russell & Thompson

WE GIVE GIFT COUPONS West Side the Square Watch Our WINDOWS

Social Events

Philatelic Members

The members of the Philatelic Society of Central Christian church lighted their audience last evening with the presentation of the new farce comedy, "Those Husbands of Ours." The play was amusing and presented with much wit on the part of the cast. There was also a candy sale and parcel post sale conducted during the evening.

Christmas Club In

The Christmas meeting of the Christmas Club of the Central Christian church was held yesterday with Mrs. J. Arnold as hostess at her home at 455 South East street. The program of the day was in charge of Mrs. Clark Stevenson, Mrs. W. F. Holt and Mrs. Frank Drury. The Christmas grab bag in which each member found an appropriate present was a feature of the afternoon. Mrs. Drury told a number of Christmas stories. Interesting contests had been planned by the committee and the hostesses served attractive refreshments in keeping with the holiday season during the afternoon.

Elks Dance This Week

The Elks will give one of their regular bi-weekly dances on Thursday of this week. Dunlap's orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music and a delightful event is anticipated. The dance will be held at the Elks home on West Morgan street Thursday evening.

Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strawn entertained a number of friends at dinner Monday evening at their home on West College street. A delicious goose dinner menu was served and a pleasant evening spent following the dinner hour.

Entertain Friends

Miss Louise Fletcher very delightfully entertained a number of her friends Monday evening at her home on Grove street. The guests included a few teachers from the high school and other friends of Miss Fletcher. The evening was pleasantly spent with sewing and conversation and most attractive refreshments were served at a late hour.

Siegfrieds Entertain

The Sane Social club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence P. Siegfried.

455 South East street. A sumptuous supper was served and an enjoyable social evening spent.

CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS

Entertain Queen Esthers.

Miss Mildred George entertained the members of the Queen Esther society of Grace church Monday evening at her home on South West street. This was the regular monthly meeting and there was a good attendance. Following the program there was a pleasant social hour and the hostess served refreshments in keeping with the holiday season.

Christmas Bazaar and Supper At Centenary Church.

The annual Christmas bazaar and turkey supper, given by the Ladies' Aid society of Centenary church, was held yesterday in the social rooms of the church. The Christmas bazaar was held in the afternoon and there was a large variety of attractive aprons, gifts for work and other holiday fancy for sale. Miss Winnie Wackerle was in charge of the bazaar and she was assisted by Mrs. Thomas Ruckthorpe, Mrs. Henry Muehlhausen, Mrs. George Fuhr, and Mrs. Louis Kelly.

At six o'clock a delicious turkey supper menu was served and over three hundred people were present. Mrs. James C. Weber had charge of the turkey and preparation of the supper. She was assisted by Mrs. C. L. Brown, Miss Lizzie Hunter, Mrs. R. W. Dods-worth, Mrs. H. L. Cheney, Mrs. W. I. Crabtree, Mrs. Anna Brown, Mrs. J. F. Kinner and Mrs. Lena Francis. The dessert was in charge of Mrs. Mary Crouch assisted by Mrs. Mary Royce, Mrs. Charles Boston, Mrs. W. N. Wilkinson and Mrs. C. A. Fiedler.

Miss Clara Ranson was the chairman of the dining room and the following ladies assisted at the different tables: Miss Lucie Royce, Mrs. E. C. Hutson, Mrs. C. A. Fiedler, Mrs. F. L. Ledford, Miss Bessie Harrison, Mrs. D. T. Heimlich, Miss Clara Smith, Mrs. Homer Rowland, Mrs. Brockhouse, Miss Godfrey, Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Fred Six, Mrs. Ellis, Miss Ruth Rapp, Miss Eva Lazenby, and Miss Clarke. Mrs. William Kastrop was chairman of the serving room and among those who assisted her were Mrs. Everett Clampt, Mrs. E. C. Hutson, Mrs.

Get Ready For CHRISTMAS

By ordering early this week
Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Chickens
Dorwatts Cash Market

230 W. State St. Telephone 196

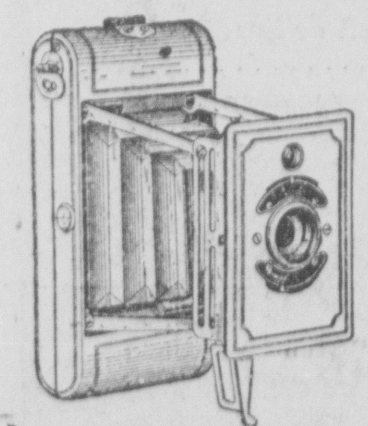


ARMSTRONG'S FOR GIFTS

The Witchery of Perfume

A myriad of crushed blossoms—exotic essences of the Orient, subtle, pervading, alluring—are caught in the fragrance of fine perfumes.

Perfumes are among the most charming and complimentary of gifts.



Gifts For Women

Ivory sets in cases may be had consisting of only two pieces—a comb and a brush. These are the most favored articles to start with in collecting ivory. The price is very moderate—as low as \$3.00 per set.

Then there are three, four, five and six set piece sets of various chaste, attractive designs. Sets may be arranged to your order, and to any degree of elaborateness desired—prices range from \$3.00 to \$50.00.

White ivory sets in leatherette covered, silk-lined cases strongly appeal to every woman. The spotlessly white articles are set off in lovely contrast with the silk lining of the case, and the richness of the gift is enhanced in the eyes of the recipient.

The Armstrong Drug Stores

S. West Cor. Square and
235 E. State Street
JACKSONVILLE, ILL.

Exhausted



The strained and exhausted condition of a champion winning a title event is shown in this picture of P. R. Wace finishing first in the famous Oxford Intercollegiate four-mile relay race. Wace represented Brazenose College. Note the exhausted condition of the runner's body, arms and legs.

Harold Ferguson, Mrs. W. Fanning and Miss Fannie James.

Grace Missionary Society To Meet Today.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace church will meet this afternoon at the church. The program will be in charge of Mrs. J. O. Applebee and she will be assisted by Miss Mary Wadsworth. The devotional services will be led by Mrs. Amos Swain.

"The Negro Mind" is the subject of the program for the day and Mrs. Charles Hopper will sing a Negro spiritual song "Deep River," by H. T. Burleigh. The discussion will be led by Mrs. Applebee and other members of the society will take part.

G. A. R. CHIEF

TO VISIT POSTS

Des Moines, Iowa—Commander-in-Chief J. W. Willett of the Grand Army of the Republic is preparing his itinerary for a tour of inspection of grand army posts throughout the country. He plans to begin his tour early in February and expects to visit all of the largest posts in the United States.

Commander-in-Chief Willett, who was elected at the last national encampment, has established headquarters in Des Moines at the state house.

THEIR FASCINATING

symmetry and opalescence—their faint fragrant halo make Perfumes most attractive gifts.

Cameras—No home

should be denied the lasting pleasure which photography affords.

Standard articles of

shaving equipment may safely be chosen as acceptable gifts.

Gifts For Men

Military brush and comb sets in handsome boxes are priced \$2 and up. Toilet sets in convenient form for the dresser or traveling bag are as low as \$5.00 each. Leather collar bags are indispensable adjuncts.

Bill folds and card cases are always desirable—a wide assortment of styles and prices. Playing cards in leather cases and sets of counters are moderately priced.

Cigars, cartons of cigarettes and smoking tobaccos—the finest imported and domestic brands. Not the ordinary holiday merchandise but a wide range of standard qualities selected to please the tastes of men who know. Many in handsome Christmas packages—at all prices. Smoking Sets, Ash Trays, Cigar and Tobacco Jars in variety.



RESCUED MEN TELL OF WRECK

(By The Associated Press)

SAULT STE MARIE Mich., Dec. 19.—Twenty men who were aboard the tug Reliance, wrecked on the rocks of the Lizard Islands last Wednesday and who spent five days on the island with scant shelter from the sub-zero temperature and with scarcely any food arrived here tonight.

Three others are aboard the tug Gray now engaged in taking off Lake Superior light keepers and will be brought here later this week.

All of the twenty men were suffering from exposure and are receiving medical attention. With the arrival of the survivors came the detailed story of their experiences and the loss of four of their number. Three of the thirty-six persons aboard the tug when she was wrecked, lost their lives while trying to launch a life boat. They were Captain John McPherson, Fred Regan and Gus Johnson, who were washed overboard. Regan and Johnson clung to the boat and were carried out into the lake where they perished while Captain McPherson an elderly man was injured in the fall and sank immediately.

The fourth man unidentified refused to heed the warning of his companions and was poisoned by eating frozen berries after the party had abandoned the water filled the tug and taken refuge on one of the islands, from which they were picked up Monday by the Gray and Reliance.

William Gow, a fireman on the Reliance, was the hero of the wreck. He realized the twenty-three men would soon be forced to leave the tug, which was pounding on the rocks, and planned their escape to the island.

A raft was constructed of barrel staves and a stairway torn from the Reliance, Gow then tied a rope about his waist, plunged into the icy water and swam 75 yards to shore. The rope was tied to a tree and with its aid the others were taken off the tug three at a time.

The only food on the tug was canned meat, water soaked bread and cake. Knowing that the food would not sustain them for any length of time the men first rationed the bread allowing only two slices to each.

TO BUILD SERIES OF SANATORIUMS

Omaha, Neb.—The Woodmen of the World, a national fraternal organization numbering 800,000 members, has begun the erection of a tuberculosis sanatorium at San Antonio, Texas. This will be the first of four such institutions for the treatment of members to be built in different parts of the country, according to W. A. Fraser, sovereign commander of the order.

The sanatorium will be in honor of members who made the supreme sacrifice in the world war. A monument to the dead heroes to be erected on the grounds will be inscribed with the names of all Woodmen who died for their country.

The sanatorium will be a reconstruction and enlargement of an old Spanish mission. The main building will be 300 feet long and of three stories with broad verandas surrounding it on every floor. On these porches the patients will live in the open air the year round. An administration building, residence for the chief medical officer and cottages for nurses and assistants will form an attractive architectural group. The sanatorium will be ready to receive patients by April 1, Mr. Fraser hopes.

"Sites for the other institutions have not yet been selected," Mr. Fraser said, "but the second, it is expected will be located at Saranac Lake, N. Y."

The order proposes later to build a home for its aged members and for the orphan and independent children.

APPOINTED PROFESSOR AT TOKIO UNIVERSITY

Tokio—Miss Konoko Yasui, recently decorated with the order of the Sacred Treasure for her achievements in the botanical sciences, has been appointed assistant professor in the botany department of Tokio university and is the first woman to hold a membership in the Imperial university faculty. Miss Yasui has spent two years in Germany and the United States studying botany.

NOTICE

Parties knowing themselves indebted to Diamond Grove stock farm are requested to make payments not later than Dec. 31st.

H. H. MASSEY, Prop. 12-20-21

The undersigned has taken over the old

W. D. Richards stand at 1316 South Main street, and will carry a full line of

Groceries and Notions at that location.

Telephone 310

L. L. Kinnett

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

WATERWAY WOULD PROVIDE LOW RATE

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—The Illinois waterway—connecting link between the Great Lakes and the Mississippi—will give the state the second lowest bulk freight transportation rate in the world, according to figures prepared by M. G. Barnes, chief engineer of the division of waterways.

Mr. Barnes, who designed the Panama canal locks and later was associated in the rebuilding of the New York state barge canal, says the huge locks planned for the Illinois waterway, with a capacity of 9,000 tons of freight at a time, will cut transportation costs 50 per cent under the New York rate. The New York canal locks can handle from 2,500 to 3,000 tons at each lockage.

The table prepared by Mr. Barnes shows that transportation on the big bulk freighters developed on the Great Lakes, with their 10,000 to 13,000 tons capacity, is the cheapest in the world, one dollar will carry a ton of freight 1,000 miles in one of these ships, he says.

The Illinois canal will come next, the table shows, with one ton being carried 750 miles for \$1. European canals average a 500 mile haul for \$1 a ton and the New York barge canal stands fourth with a 300 mile haul of one ton for \$1. American railroads average 100 miles to the dollar; truck transportation over improved highways, 20 miles to the dollar; and four miles by horse and wagon, according to Mr. Barnes.

LAYING FLOOR IN FIRE DEPARTMENT ROOM

Workmen are busy at the local fire department tearing up the old floor. Part of the floor has been down 20 years and was in such condition that it was thought unsafe under the weight of the heavy trucks. The entire floor is being torn up and will be replaced with a double floor. Old lumber will be used for the bottom layer and a new pine floor will be used for the top. The work is being done by Vascencellos and Sons.

Hoot Mon

Furnace and Tin Shop
FURNACE WORK
The Sure Way
to have a contract price on all your jobs Large, Small or Complicated
Estimates Gladly Furnished

F. A. LISTER
117 South West St.
Phone 1476W

K YOUR TEMPER

SMILING

THE GOODS CLEAN

IRONING WITH

The Myers Electric Iron Cord holder.

Attached to your ironing board it will prevent the trouble you have in keeping the cord out of the way while ironing.

Saves repair bills.

Given free with the purchase of all electric irons.

We Give Gift Coupons

WALSH

Electric Co

300 East State

Farmers

See Us about that

March

the First

LOAN

Secure your Money Now at

5 %

Liberal Privileges

SEE

C. O. Bayha

Room 4, Unity Building

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

W. D. Richards

Chas. M. Strawn

Auctioneer

Says:

The Morgan County Poultry Show is over but he still has some real bargains in Auto Accessories, Oils and Special Prices on Batteries. See our special Radio Battery. Give us a trial on your battery and car-repairing. Our west room is now full of real bargains in used cars, and look at our show room on the east side, for the best light car at the price. Come, see. Don't let the Poultry Show be your last visit. Come in and make our rooms your headquarters.

Chas. M. Strawn AUCTIONEER

We Do All Kinds of Auto Repairing

Battery Repairing and Recharging

Distributor of Famous Case and DORT cars. Case Power Farming Machinery. Full line of Auto Supplies and Accessories. Competent Mechanics.

West Court Street, Jacksonville, Ill.

High Percentage Hatches

With the Queen Incubator

Everyone wants big hatches, and the Queen will deliver them. Besides being wonderfully well constructed, in the way of materials and workmanship, the Queen embodies the most scientific principles of artificial incubation.

The Queen is doubly insulated. First there are double walls of California Redwood, forming a dead air space. Second, corrugated strawboard is used between the wooden walls. Proper insulation adds considerable expense to the manufacturing cost, but it is an absolute requirement of a good incubator.

The Queen is the only incubator that carries out the double Redwood wall construction all around, and provides a double wall front, in the way of two separate doors. The outer door is a solid panel of Redwood that is hinged entirely independent of the inner door and is fastened with a sash lock that draws it tight, thus making the loss of heat impossible.

The inner door is also of Redwood construction, containing a panel of glass the full length and height of the egg chamber.

Queen Brooders are Good Step-Mothers

They are designed to raise the chicks in all kinds of weather at any time of the year, with complete protection day and night. The heating system gives an abundance of heat, distributed properly, while plenty of fresh air is provided automatically without draughts.

We sell the Queen because we are here to stay and cannot afford to trifle with your eggs. Come in and see how a Queen operates.

Hall Bros., Distributors

Jacksonville, Franklin, Chapin

Furniture for Christmas

"Rush the Button and Rest"



AEOLIAN VOCALION

COVERS a phonograph will find great delight in playing the Vocalion—in modulating with the Grad-u-o-la, the Vocalion expression device, each tone as they choose. Here is the cure for record monotony—here is a new and rich source of musical interest and satisfaction.

Agent's Name and Address



Royal Rest Chairs THE PUSH BUTTON KIND

Electric Washers
Electric Vacuum Cleaners, China, Rugs, Rockers, All make Lasting Presents

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

We Give Gift Coupons

JUNIORS DEFEATED FRESHMEN 20 TO 9

Will Play Seniors in Final This Evening — Winners Take on Faculty Team Right Afterward.

By defeating the Freshmen 20 to 9 yesterday afternoon in the high school basketball tournament the Juniors earned the right to play the Seniors for the school championship in the finals to be played this evening.

The final will start at 7:30 o'clock and Al Arter will officiate. Immediately following the winner of this game will play a team from the faculty. Arter also will officiate in this contest which is expected to furnish a lot of excitement. The score of yesterday's games follow:

Juniors—	F. G.	F. T.	T. T.
Henson, f.	3	1	7
Nunes, f.	0	0	0
Bergstrom, f.	0	0	0
Sanders, c.	2	1	5
Rold, c.	1	0	2
Arnold, g.	1	0	2
Johnson, g.	0	0	0
Corbridge, g.	2	0	4
Cumming, g.	0	0	0

Freshmen—	F. G.	F. T.	T. T.
Wilson, f.	0	1	1
Massey, f.	0	0	0
Hettick, f.	0	3	3
Fitch, c.	1	0	2
Arumond, g.	0	0	0
Peterson, g.	0	0	0
Smith, g.	1	1	3
Curtis, g.	0	0	0

Totals 9 2 20
Referee, Mitchell, Illinois college.

WOODWORTH GOES TO WHITE SOX

(By The Associated Press)
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 19.—A deal was closed today by which the Bloomington Three I league club disposed of Second Baseman Ray Woodworth to the Chicago White Sox. Woodworth was the leading second baseman of the Three I league, his fielding average of .980 being the best made by a Three I league second baseman participating in 10 or more games since 1916.

The past year was his first in professional baseball.

SOX AND GIANTS TO PLAY NINETEEN GAMES

Chicago, Dec. 19.—The Chicago White Sox and the New York Giants, world champions, will play nineteen exhibition games on their joint training trip this spring before the opening of the major league season it was announced today. The first games of the series will be March 17 and 18, at San Antonio, Texas, the training camp of the Giants. The series will be brought to a close in New York with games April 14 and 15. The White Sox will do their early conditioning at Seguin, Texas.

TOM THORP TO WORK IN ALL THREE GAMES

New York, Dec. 19.—Tom Thorp, football coach at New York university will officiate as umpire at all of the East-West intersectional gridiron games on the Pacific coast during the holidays.

The three contests are between West Virginia and Gonzaga university at San Diego, Christmas Day; Pittsburgh at Stanford at Palo Alto, December 30; and Penn State and Southern California at Pasadena, New Year's Day.

Off Duty



When Benito Mussolini can secure a few days' vacation from his duties as premier he hastens to one of the winter resorts on the sunny Mediterranean. Here he is shown prepared for his favorite exercise.

EXPLAINS ATTITUDE ON STEEL SHAFTED CLUBS

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Asserting its refusal to permit use of steel shafted golf clubs in national championships had been misconstrued the executive committee of the United States Golf association issued a statement today explaining its attitude and announcing that official tests of the new style shafts would be authorized.

"A number of people seem to have misconstrued the action taken by the executive committee of the United States Golf association with regard to the steel shaft," a statement said. "We were asked to approve its use, we felt it was a distinct departure from the accepted form and make of golf clubs and that no one at that time knew enough about its possibilities to be sure that its use was for the best interests of the game."

"We, accordingly, refused to permit its use in the national championships. Our feelings are still the same. The executive committee itself will try out the shafts and request that a number of the leading amateurs do the same and report their findings to the committee."

"They also will request that all other players who use the shaft and who desire to should submit their views to the committee."

YOST PREDICTS BETTER GRID SQUAD NEXT YEAR

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 15.—Football plans of Coach Fielding H. Yost for 1923 are centered chiefly on replacing the two star ends and two backfield men on this year's undefeated Michigan team, who are to graduate next spring. With the exception of the fullback vacancy, promising substitutes are available from the 1922 squad and Coach Yost in disbanded the team at the close of the season predicted "an even better team than we had this year."

Yost's chief problem at the start of the 1922 training season was to develop a line. He succeeded so well that Michigan closed the season in a tie with Iowa for championship honors of the Big Ten. Next year the greatest worry will be to find a pair of flankers to take the places of Bernie Kirke, winner of a place on the All-Conference eleven, and Captain Paul Goebel, Franklin C. Cappon, fullback, and Douglas Roby, halfback, also are among the 10 members of the squad who will be lost thru graduation.

The veterans Stanley Muirhead, Rosatti and Vandervoort will return next fall for tackle berths. Steele and Slaughter, sophomore guards, will have the advantage of a year under fire; Jack Blott is relied upon to develop into one of the best centers in the Big Ten next season. He filled this berth creditably this year.

In the backfield there remains the sensational Hilary Kipke, another All-Conference choice, Keifer and Steger, two halfbacks who distinguished themselves this year, and Uteritz, whose heady work won him recognition in Conference circles this season.

Leroy Neisch, substitute end, will be available for one of the flank positions. "Dutch" Marion former W. J. end, is coming up from the freshman squad of this season, but there is no outstanding candidate for the fullback position.

Altho disbanded, Coach Yost asked his proteges to keep in physical condition and to see that they remain eligible from a scholastic standpoint.

The income derived by the Michigan athletic department from football games this year will exceed by many thousands of dollars the highest point in the past according to athletic officials, altho they have not yet compiled definite figures.

MICHIGAN AGGIES HAVE VETERAN MATERIAL

EAST LANSING, Mich.—Coach Bert Barron of the Michigan Aggies football squad expresses great hopes for the 1923 team because his green material of the past season has had its training under fire, and next year's eleven will be built largely from this year's sophomores who have played together for an entire season.

"A football player will learn more football in one game against high class competition than I could teach him in three years on the practice field," is Barron's theory.

The Aggies this past year scheduled ten football games, among them tilts with Notre Dame, Indiana, and other schools considered "a little bit out of the Aggies' class."

M. A. C. had a disastrous season from the standpoint of victories. But followers of the team were not disappointed because at the start Barron held out no hope of sustained winnings. He said it all was a part of his scheme to put a team in the field in 1923 that would make the East Lansing school talked of from coast to coast.

He pointed out that the great majority of his players were sophomores, and that the way to learn football was to play football. He believes he has succeeded, that his men in reality have had a two-year course in one season and that they will form a winning aggregation next fall.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 19.—The Duluth Boat club will bid for the 1923 regatta of the National association of Amateur Oarsmen it was announced today.

Leads In Scoring



ENTER Briggs Kingsley of Franklin and Marshall College with a bid for football fame.

Where is Franklin and Marshall College? You say.

Answer—Lancaster, Pa.

What has Kingsley done to make him famous?

Merely scored 130 points all by himself.

No other college player in the east passed the century mark in points scored.

Ranking next to Kingsley is

"Duke" Morrison, famous fullback to the University of California. During the 1922 season he scored 123 points, seven in the rear of Kingsley. In the east, Brunner of Lafayette, with 86 points, was his closest rival.

Outstanding performances in the record of Franklin and Marshall was a 19 to 6 victory over Swarthmore, and the holding of University of Pennsylvania to two touchdowns.

Sidelights on New Sox Leader, Frank Chance

By BILLY EVANS.

Frank Chance, who has just signed to manage the Boston team of the American league, is one of the most colorful figures in baseball. The "Peerless Leader" as he is known in baseball, will do much to restore the waning prestige of the American league in Boston.

Frank Chance is a man of strong convictions. When he signs to manage a club, he does so with the idea of making that very thing. He is master of all he surveys, brooks no interference from any one and woe to the player who fails to obey orders.

Chance is a regular he-man. The player who is a regular fellow and obeys rules never hears from Chance. With the baseball fraternity he is very popular. There is none of the fourthush about Chance, he is either for you or against you, and wants the world to know it.

Traded Bunion for Onion.

Chance is inclined to be serious. From the time the game starts until the finish, he is fighting for victory. He likes players of the same temperament. No kidding on the bench on any ball club he manages.

Off the field Chance has a keen sense of humor and enjoys the funny things in life as well as the next fellow.

Just prior to his resignation from the management of the New York Americans, he coined an expression that lived for some time in American league circles.

Hal Chase wasn't playing to suit Chance and a trade was made with the Chicago club. In return for Chase, New York got Rollie Zeider and Babe Borton. Zeider, who was a mighty good infielder, was much needed by New York.

It seems that Zeider was afflicted with a bunion that became very painful the moment he donned a New York uniform and he was unable to play for some time.

The trade of Chase for Zeider didn't set very well with some New Yorkers partial to Chase. One day just before a game at the Polo grounds, a certain newspaper man who was strong for Chase, asked Chance what he thought of the deal. Chase, by the way, had made a good start with Chicago.

"It was an even trade," replied Chance. "I got a bunion for an onion."

For years the Chase-Zeider trade was so known in baseball.

Batted On of Order.

During a game at St. Louis Chance unknowingly became a party to one of the most extraordinary batting out of order plays ever staged.

The Yankees were playing the Browns and were getting a good trouncing. George Stovall was then managing the St. Louis club.

In about the eighth inning Chance decided to call upon his reserves. He went to the bat for the pitcher, who, I believe, was Ray Fisher. Chance hit safely. His pinch-hit started a rally.

After scoring the first run of the inning, enthused with the rally that he had started, Chance went to the coaching lines at third base.

A fellow by the name of Derick was playing short for New

York in that game and hitting eighth. When it came Derick's turn to bat, some one yelled to Chance that he was up again.

On his second trip to the plate he again singled, scoring the two runners on the bases at the time. As I recall the incident, New York made seven runs in that inning and ultimately won the game 9 to 8.

After the side had been retired the St. Louis scorers conveyed the information to Stovall, that Chance on his first trip to the plate had hit for the pitcher and on his second he had batted for shortstop.

When he hit for the shortstop he batted out of order. Had the mistake been discovered Chance would have been made to look very foolish. As it was his hit when so batting won the game.

The protest from St. Louis came too late and the umpires could do nothing. Chance, however, did something. Walking over to Derick, who had failed to take his place at bat during the seven run rally, he remarked:

"Take your glove with you to the bench, that's where you will play from now on, you have played your last game with New York." It so proved.

An Unusual Experience.

I had a very unusual experience with Chance which shows the character of the man.

In the first half of the eleven inning of a game at Chicago, Roger Peckinpaugh, then with New York, tried to score from second on a single to the outfield.

Hal Felsch, who handled the ball, made a wonderful throw to the plate.

Ray Schalk, taking a daring chance, so blocked Peckinpaugh that he was unable to get into the plate. The ball, which arrived a trifle of a second after Peck had slid into Schalk, got away from the Sox's great little catcher.

Schalk, however, never gave up and in some way managed to hold Peck away from the plate until he recovered the ball and touched the runner.

I ruled that Peck had the right to score since Schalk had blocked him from the plate without having the ball in his possession.

While such claims are often made, such a decision is a rather unusual one. However, in this case there was no doubt in my mind, I felt that Peck was entitled to score.

Chance, who had been coaching at third, not knowing that I had ruled Peck safe; rushed up to the plate to protest Schalk's blocking of the runner.

"When he realized I had ruled Peck safe, he simply turned on his heel and walked back to third base."

The next day one of the New York players remarked to me: "You won't have any more trouble from the New York club."

When I asked for an explanation, he replied: "Calling Peck safe at the plate yesterday made a bit with Chance. He said it required a bit of nerve to score the winning run for a visiting team on such a play. He also told us that if any kicks were to be made against your decisions, he would make

KEEN COMPETITION SEEN IN YACHTING

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Forecast of a keen season of international yachting competition in 1923 was seen today in an announcement that the first event between American and British crafts had been scheduled, a series of six races between six metre yachts to be sailed in August in British waters for the historic Seawanhaka challenge cup.

This trophy was captured last year by Colla III, owned by J. G. Stevens of the Royal Northern Yacht club of Scotland, and one of the British crafts defeated by American six metre sloops in the team contest for the British American cup. The Colla defeated the defender, Sakie of the Manchester, Mass., Yacht club and the cup went overseas for the first time in its twenty-seven years' history.

The formal challenge for the 1923 contest was made by the Seawanhaka club and has just been accepted by the Royal Northern Yacht club.

then and that he didn't expect to register any."

I worked many a game with the New York team after that made some terrible decisions against the Yankees, but never a word from Chance.

That one tough decision had won his confidence. He lived up to his word to his players.

After Dad



Willie Hoppe, Jr., though only four years old, figures on being the world's next billiard champion. That is, when Dad is ready to lay down his crown. Hence "Dad" Hoppe is spending his spare time in teaching the young idea how to shoot.

BLOUIN DEFEATS JIMMY SMITH

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Jimmy Blouin of Chicago, world's champion bowler, retained his title today when he defeated Jimmy Smith of Milwaukee in the six block of their sixty game match. Blouin's point were 278 for 16 six plocks and Smith was credited with 273 27-50.

Blouin by winning the championship retains permanent possession of the world's championship medal for which the bowlers were contesting.

The final block of ten game opened with Smith holding fractional point lead over champion. The bowlers won at lost this slight advantage the first few games but after the fifth game, Blouin retained, and kept adding to it.

Blouin knocked down 12,30 pins and Smith 12,277 in the 6 games. In today's games Blouin bowled over 2,005 mapsles at Smith had 2,008 to his credit. Blouin had an average of 205 at Smith 204 37-60.

PENN TEAM OFF FOR THE COAS

State College, Pa., Dec. 19.—Twenty-two Penn State college football players departed today on their first lap of their 3,000 mile journey to Pasadena, where they will meet the University of Southern California eleven at New Year's Day. They are due in Chicago tomorrow and will spend the day there.

Xmas Week SPECIALS

During the past two weeks hundreds of shoppers have taken advantage of our special prices. This week we offer Xmas necessities and gifts at prices that represent substantial savings.

Xmas Candy

Holly Assorted, Auerbachs; a wonderful assortment of highest quality chocolates. Our first purchase went out in less than two days. 5 pounds assorted \$1.47

Redels Vanilla Whipped Creams. Packed in fancy pound boxes. Per box 74c

Chocolates, including molasses chips, assorted bitter sweets, sunbursts, whipped creams, etc. Our best grade of chocolates. Per pound 35c

Redels Assorted Chocolates have made a big hit this week. In half pound boxes. Each 34c

ORANGES

California Navels, smooth, bright fruit, the ideal kind for Xmas. Offered in the following sizes:

Size 324—Per dozen 25c
Size 176—Per dozen 45c
Size 150—Per dozen 50c
Size 100—Per dozen 60c

Florida Grape Fruit

We are selling hundreds of these two sizes each week
Size 46—Each 12c Per dozen \$1.25
Size 54—Each 10c Per dozen \$1.10

Xmas Smokes

El Roi Tan. Appreciated by smokers everywhere. 50 in. a sealed box \$4.28

El Macco. In two sizes
Packed ten for 86c
Packed twenty-five for \$2.15

Flor de Leon. An attractive gift package. Packed ten for 86c
Old Per Coon, packed in small boxes. Ten for 86c
Royal Gold. Full value. Packed ten for 44c

English Walnuts—Last week we sold what we had figured for our entire season's requirements. The price tells why. Diamond brand, paper shell, per pound, only 30c

Brazil Nuts, large washed Brazils, per pound 17c

Almonds, the real paper shell. An extraordinary value, per pound, 35c

Mixed nuts, all good new crop. Per pound 24c

Pecans, Illinois valley. Extra fine, per pound 25c

Dromedary Dates—They are the ideal dates for stuffing, being carefully selected for size and quality. This is the lowest price for years. Per pkg. 19c

Stuffed Dates—Fancy stuffed, assorted pecan, walnut and almond centers, per pound, only 40c

String Figs—When soaked in warm water they come back to their original size. Special this week, lb. 20c

Salted Almonds—Big fellows, and done to a turn. Per lb. \$1.25

Green Beans—Fresh hamper today. Tender and full of snap. Per pound 30c

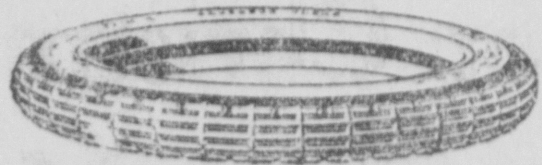
Mammoth Cheese—We are cutting the huge N. Y. cheese today. It weighs 363 pounds and has matured since last June. Far better than the ordinary cheese. Per pound 50c

Leave orders for Dressed Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys
LAST WEEK—For these prices on Sunmaid Raisins, Seeded or Seedless, per package 16c

Free Delivery

FURRY & SONS

West State Street—Cor. North West



A TIRE

Would Make an Exceptionally Good Christmas Gift

A Few Gift Suggestions

Tire
Tube
Battery
Pump
Jack
Spot Light
Stop Light
Pair Chains
Tire Cover
Luggage Carrier
Spark Plug
Patching Material
Can of Oil

Where's the motorist who wouldn't prefer something nice and useful for his car?

In this store you will find gifts that will bring Christmas morning delight to every parson who drives a car—Gifts to fit every pocketbook.

Put us on your shopping list. Let us help you select useful Christmas gifts.

Illinois Tire & Vulcanizing Co

Jacksonville's Tire Bargain Center

315 West State Phone 1104 Sudden Service Service Dept. 314 W. Morgan

We Give Gift Coupons



Victrolas for Christmas

Makes a Happy New Year
—Let Us Show You—

J. P. Brown Music House
Southwest Corner Square Phone 145

DO YOU BELIEVE

There is such a thing as an honest professional gambler?

If you feel you are gambling on whether a concern can fix your machine you are making a mistake.

We know what we can do and are sure of it.
We have reduced the repair business to a science.

Just Tell Us
"Fit It!"

Rebuild Shop **Joy's** Service Station

It Pays to Rebuild a Motor Car

We Have the Equipment, the Stock, the Parts
ALWAYS OPEN—ALWAYS ON THE JOB
Cylinder Re-Grinding a Specialty
Full Stock of Piston Rings, all sizes
THE HOME OF THE TURN-AUTO

DOKAYS BOOSTING BASKETBALL TEAM

Special Committee Mentions Last Year's Record and Prospects for this Year.

Dokays are seeking to arouse special interest in their independent basketball team, which last season made such a good record. With the thought in mind of securing support for the team, Charles N. Reinhardt, as chairman of the booster committee, is sending out letters to Knights outlining the prospects for the year and endeavoring to sell a certain number of tickets.

The letter to Dokays reads in this wise:

Brother Knight:
Last year the D. O. K. K. Temple of this city placed an independent basketball team in the limelight, which proved very successful to the K. P. lodges in general and also to Ilderim Temple No. 62 of this city. The record of games played by the team also proved out very successful and they won the independent basketball championship of this city.

This year inquiries are already being received from many places, asking to schedule games. Inquiries to date include teams from Davenport, Iowa; Decatur, Illinois; Indianapolis, Indiana; Springfield, Illinois; Carlinville, Illinois, and even as far east as Brooklyn, New York. Of course it would hardly be possible to schedule games with some of these cities, but nevertheless it goes to prove that such a project is a great advertising factor.

The K. C. Lodge, the Elks lodge, the local military company and perhaps the American Legion of this city are all going to put out a basketball team this season, so why can't the Dokays? They can, as they have the team, on one condition, and that is "give them your support."

Basketball Results

Iowa University, 36; Cornell, 19.
Simpson, 23; Still college, 21.
Northwestern University, 29; Lake Forest college, 14.

NOTRE DAME WINS FROM BRADLEY TECH

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 19. — Notre Dame using eleven men won from Bradley tonight 29 to 18, on the second game of the four day road trip for Coach Halas' five. Bradley took an early lead but when the Notre Dame regulars took the floor the Bradleyites were soon in the rear. Kizer was the star with five field goals and six fouls.

WISCONSIN WINS FROM LOMBARD

Madison, Wis., Dec. 19. — Wisconsin defeated Lombard college tonight at basketball in a slow game, 37 to 9.

OLD JACKSONVILLE OTHER HOLIDAY TIMES

(BY ENSLEY MOORE)
Member Illinois State Historical Society

"O. J.'s" first knowledge of mundane matters was in Perry, Pike county, then a village of about two or three hundred inhabitants. Many of them, as well as a settlement northwest of the town, were Germans, and they put the spice of "old country" doings especially into Christmas festivities.

Father was Quaker-raised, and mother Scotch and Irish, so they did not make so much of Christmas amusements as "the Dutch" did.

But these last put delights into the Holiday season for which they were assuredly to be thanked, and they were always so jolly about it all.

Perry's great times were Christmas and the Fourth of July. In those far gone days we used to have lots of snow, and jumpers and that was true of the last winter, that of

December 25, 1856.

That season then was a wonderful succession of children's and young people's parties, where we had what was, up to then "the times of our lives."

Snow is always the leading thing to be thought of in Perry winters, and those here, up to about 1890 or so.

Christmas of 1859

was spent at Meredosia, at "Aunt Jane's"—Mrs. Stafford Smith—where Wilson Thompson and his step-mother, "Aunt Sarah" lived. "Aunt Sarah" was then Joseph C. Thompson's widow, and afterwards the wife of John Hocken-hull, Senior; the lady who used to ride around here in a rolling chair, in the last days of her life. Meredosia had a German settlement, and its Christmas jollities took the character of those in Perry, rather than the Yankee and American days of Jacksonville.

It was great to go to Meredosia, to Aunt Jane's, and to catch the German spirit. There was lots of mince pies and candy, and sympathy with children down there, and there was the deep snow on land, and skating on the Bay, and the mercury lingered lovingly about 15 to 25 degrees below zero.

That year, 1859, Lizzie and Jennie Hocken-hull and Mary and Becher Glover were with the writer "down to the river," for part of a week.

Christmas of 1863

was another awfully cold time,

part of which was spent at Mr. Sterling with Emily and Priscilla Adams and "Doc" Fitch and his cousin, Mary A. Runkle; and then a few days at Aunt Jane's, with the Hocken-hull girls and Belle Clement, afterwards Mrs. William A. Kirby.

Snow was as usual in those days as heat in August, but more enjoyable.

Soldiers

wearing the Blue used to be on the trains in those days, and we were glad to see them, and proud of those who had "gone at their country's call."

Old times were good times, altho not so stylish as these are.

January First, 1864.

was noted for one of the greatest snow storms, all over the West, and some of the coldest weather ever experienced here. For days there were no mails on our line, Springfield to Quincy, and many people could not get home from their holiday visits.

A Wedding

took place on or about that New Years, up near Virginia; when Robert R. Stevenson and Mary Scott joined hearts and hand, and they are still clinging to each other, up on Prospect street, here.

Mr. Stevenson wore one of the finest suits a man could don, in those days, for he was a Boy in Blue.

Some Old Hearts

will still thrill as they think "the years creep slowly by," and the more thrilling words

"We loved each other then,

Lorena,

More than we ever dared to tell."

1865

saw a glad, glad Christmas snowy as usual, but

The War

had ended and "Johnnie" truly had—"come marching home again," and fathers and mothers, brothers and sisters, and sweethearts gathered at the old homesteads, welcoming "the Veterans" back from the years of pain, of suspense, of loss, glad that the "cruel War" was over and the Union safe.

The boys could sing of "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," and the girls and mothers,

"Oh Willie, we have missed you," And all joined in "The Union forever, hurrah boys, hurrah."

Carmel, Ill., to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Addie Kepler plans to stay in Jacksonville thru the holidays. Her sister, Miss Gertrude Kepler with teaches in the High school at Mahanoy City, Pa., will be at the Kepler home during her vacation.

Fred Schoneman will be with his mother at Peoria, Ill., a few days before Christmas. He will return to Jacksonville later.

Miss Heatie Patterson's vacation will be spent with relatives in Pekin, Ill.

Miss Ferol Smith's holiday season will be enjoyed at her home in Lodi, Wisconsin.

Miss Mary McGhee is to be with relatives in Buffalo, New York.

Beautiful Waupaca, Wisconsin is where Miss Anita Magdanz will enjoy the Christmas holiday season.

Miss Gertrude Koester who is teacher of the girls in the gymnasium, will be at her Kansas home during her vacation.

Misses Mary and Laura Carter will be with their mother and other relatives in their home at Stanford, Ky.

Miss Catherine Wood is to be the guest of relatives at Clear Lake, Iowa.

Miss Solberger, teacher of the boys in gymnasium work, will spend her vacation in St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Belinda Daniels will be with Chicago relatives during the holidays.

FOR SALE—Cheap, Ford Touring car and Ford Sedan. C. N. PRIEST Motor Car Co.

OSBORNE FAMILY IN MOULD ROAD HOME

County Commissioner J. E. Osborne and family have recently removed from Grove street to their new home on the Mound road a short distance west of Jacksonville. Mr. Osborne has built a brick dwelling there and other improvements have been made. The home is in every way substantial and includes the best modern improvements.

New style Stick Pins, Brooches, Rings, at PRICE'S

LEGION DANCE HELD

A fine evening of dancing and surprise features was furnished by the American Legion local post at Auto Inn Tuesday evening. Music was furnished by Dunlap's orchestra. Rough Jennings, Richard W. Rowe, Charles Kehl, Howard Woodman and Louis Fernandes were in charge of arrangements.

DR. KROHN IMPROVED AFTER OPERATION

Dr. Henry W. Krohn of Kano, Ill., who was brought to Our Savior's hospital Monday and immediately operated on for acute appendicitis, appears to be doing well with every prospect for steady recovery.

Box Supper at Merritt Thursday night. Program. Ladies invited to bring boxes.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S PILLS. They are sold in Red and Gold boxes. Each box contains 25 pills. Sold by DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

We Give
Gift Coupons
on Cash and
Account
Otis Hoffman
E. Lafayette Avenue
Phone 621-T

Heating Troubles

Did your heating plant give satisfactory service last winter? Do you know whether it is in proper shape for this season?

It will pay you in every way to make certain on that point now—before severe weather sets in. We specialize in re-modeling (curing) "heating troubles" of every description.

Phone and we will call.

Doyle Bros.
Plumbing, Heating and Electrical Contractors
225 East State St.
Phone 112

Bargains With a Reason

Our building is to be torn down and we must vacate. We are sacrificing everything in the house. Now is the time to buy your furniture and housefurnishings. Come in quick. Get some of the bargains.

The Sturgis Furniture Co.

604 East State St. WE BUY OR SELL Phone 1460
OPPOSITE THE POSTOFFICE

New **PATHE** Records **OKEH** Records

Is there a Phonograph in your home? Will there be one this Christmas?

The Newest Records Here

J. J. MALLEN & SON
207 South Sandy Street

HOLIDAY Suggestions

FOUNTAIN PENS

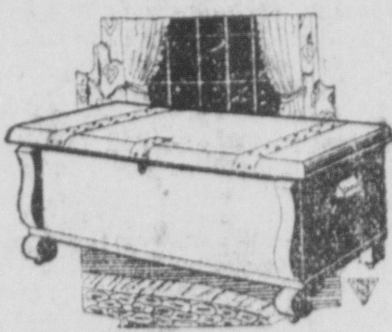
Waterman.....	\$2.50 to \$8.00
Conklin.....	\$2.50 to \$8.00
Calumet.....	\$1.00 and \$1.25
Eversharp Pencils.....	50c to \$5.00
Eversharp Pen and Pencil in handsome gift box.....	\$6.00 to \$12.00
Stationery.....	20c to \$5.00
Razors.....	\$1.00 to \$6.50
Shaving Stands.....	\$1.50 to \$6.50
Shaving Mugs and Brushes.....	\$2.00 to \$5.00
Moustache Rolls.....	\$1.00 to \$5.00
Card and Bill Folders.....	50c to \$4.00
Thermos Bottles.....	\$1.25 to \$25.00
Ingersoll Watches.....	\$1.50 to \$9.00
Eastman Kodaks.....	\$2.00 to \$25.00
Toilet Water.....	50c to \$3.50
Hair Brushes.....	50c to \$4.00
Toilet Sets.....	\$1.00 to \$25.00

Gilbert's Drug Store & Pharmacy

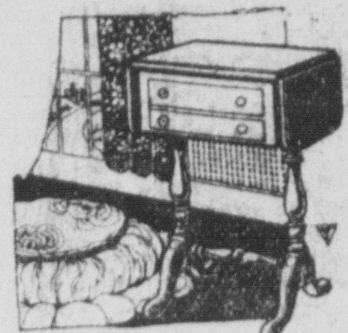
WELCOME to our GIFT SHOP

Extra Special
Cedar Chest--\$12

We have been very fortunate in making a large purchase of substantial and attractive cedar chests in many sizes and designs at a remarkably low price. All of them are specially priced now for Christmas giving. The one pictured is only \$12.00. Below are many others, all of them wonderful values now.



Scores of Other Cedar Chest Specials
Cedar Chests...\$18.00 Cedar Chests...\$31.50
Cedar Chests...\$29.80 Cedar Chests...\$38.75



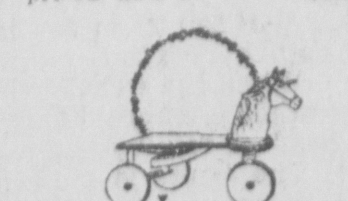
Sewing Cabinets, \$14.40

Where is the woman who would not be delighted to receive one of these attractive sewing cabinets, in mahogany finish, for Christmas! Cleverly designed with compartments for needles, shears, thread, sewing materials, etc. Very moderately priced.



Boudoir Lamps

Just the thing for mother or sister! These stunning boudoir lamps have a polychrome standard and genuine parchment shade. Only a limited quantity, so better come early. Specially priced now at \$2.95



Kiddie Car, special...\$1.25

Handsome Dolls

59c



This big doll, which will delight your youngsters, is only one of hundreds of Christmas specials in our big Toy Department. Dolls and doll carriages, coaster wagons, kiddie cars, sleds, Teddy Bears, writing desks and juvenile furniture for the play room and a multitude of other things to delight the heart of a child!

C. E. HUDGIN

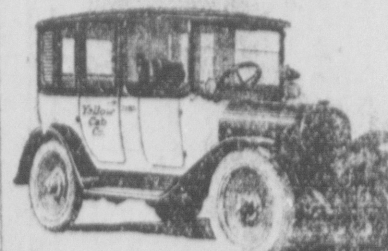
South Main Street

Hauling, Moving, Packing and Storage

by careful, competent men. Prompt attention given to all orders.

Jacksonville Storage & Transfer Co.

Both Phones 721



Yellow Cab Co.
PHONE 1495

Prompt Service and Courteous Attention.

Day or Night Service

C. H. Patrick, Mgr.

An Eden Electric Washer for the Home THIS CHRISTMAS

The Beauty of the "Eden" Electric Washing Machine—its convenience, positive economy in the home, quality of work done, and the fuss and muss done away with, are too well known to need further description here. But we want to advise you of one new fact, viz: that the factory has notified us of a \$20.00 increase in price effective January 1.

Let Us Demonstrate this
Wonderful Washer to you

Electric Appliances
Solve Home Gift Problems

Visit our brilliantly lighted and beautifully decorated display room and let us show you the new things in Electric Percolators, Toasters, Grills, Irons, Heaters, Etc., Etc.

Jacksonville Railway & Light Co.

North Side Square

FAMILY WORK EXPERT
TALKS TO S. S. LEAGUE

Miss Ruth Hill of Chicago, Director of Efficiency and Publicity at Public Library Tuesday Evening

Miss Ruth Hill of Chicago, one of the field directors of the American Association of Family Work Societies, talked informally Tuesday Evening before an open meeting of the board of directors of the local Social Service League, discussing general and local problems of the league.

League publicity—the "getting across" to people in general the importance of the league program—was especially stressed. The high quality of work the league stands for was emphasized by a review of work in Illinois and neighboring states, and by a pointed anecdote of league work.

A Sweeney and his wife, the story runs, came to the notice of the league in a northern city, because the man was not supporting his family. Determined to trace the matter, they found that the man had gone to a doctor. This they found was due to his poor eyesight and consequent nausea. A pair of glasses converted the man from a non-supporter to a good citizen.

In conclusion the speaker discussed some of the problems of the Jacksonville organization, and opened the meeting to general discussion of the same.

At noon Tuesday Miss Hill was a guest at a luncheon at the Peacock Inn, with twelve officers and directors of the local league present. There also she made informal remarks as to her findings about the local work in her two days here. Miss Hill left Tuesday evening for Chicago.

He will welcome a box of LA COX HAVANAS. At all dealers. Phone 1706.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

W. H. Petefish to F. J. Blackburn, northwest quarter southeast quarter 3-15-10, \$1.

A. W. Reagel, administrator, to S. W. Burnett, pt. lot 56 Salters' second addition to Waverly, \$710.

Mary Rustemeyer to Lizzie Tindall, lot 19, Wolcott's addition to Jacksonville, \$1150.

Liggett's candies, Perfumes, Cigars. GILBERT'S

Miss Mary Strawn who is a student at Monticello Seminary arrived in Jacksonville yesterday to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Strawn on West College avenue.

KANKAKEE WILL
HAVE NEW HOTEL

E. J. Howell Tells How Readily Citizens There Subscribed To the Enterprise.

When E. J. Howell of Kankakee was in Jacksonville recently he told a number of friends about the new hotel that Kankakee will erect the coming year. The matter was of special local interest in view of the probability that Jacksonville will also have a new hotel during the coming year.

The preparatory work for the Kankakee project was put over by the Hockenbury Co. This concern makes a business of financing hotels. A campaign of publicity is followed by stock sales and the firm makes a written guarantee that at least two-thirds of the necessary funds will be subscribed in stock for the hotel. This was done at Kankakee and the company in less than ten days' time raised two-thirds of the \$350,000 that the hotel is to cost. It will be a structure of 110 rooms and the average cost of each room will be between \$2300 and \$2500.

It is interesting to know in the same connection that the Hockenbury Co. will not attempt a campaign unless a survey has been made and the company management feels very certain that a hotel is needed and that the business in prospect is sufficient for the maintenance of such an enterprise.

The company goes still further in its service in that it will enter a contract covering a hotel project it sponsors providing a tenant who will furnish the hotel and pay a rental of sufficient amount to guarantee a 6 per cent return to the stockholders.

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL
Hear John McCormack sing "Mother in Ireland," at J. BART JOHNSON CO.

WILL ESTABLISH ONRMAL SCHOOL AT I. S. D.

A normal school is to be established at the School for the Deaf to run for a period of four to six weeks beginning next summer. Col. O. C. Smith suggested the school after finding what an actual scarcity there is of teachers of the deaf and the few places there are where training can be taken.

Tentative courses have been outlined and the whole matter will be covered in a pamphlet which is to be issued probably in the course of a few weeks.

OPEN EVENINGS
until 9 o'clock up to Christmas. Don't forget our special \$15 dress sale ends today. SHANKEN'S

GAVE FACTS ABOUT
STATE POLICE BILL

Frank Barth of Chicago Addressed Chamber of Commerce Forum Meeting Tuesday Night.

A group of citizens met last night at the Chamber of Commerce to hear an address by Frank Barth of Chicago, with reference to the proposed state police force. The chamber of commerce is not taking any action with reference to the proposed bill, but held the meeting last night at a part of the forum program for the purpose of giving public information about the bill.

Mr. Barth was for many years resident in Pennsylvania and is quite familiar with the workings of the police force system in that state. He is now secretary of the Illinois State Police association.

R. Y. Rowe, president of the chamber of commerce, called the assembly to order and introduced Dr. E. D. Canatsey as the chairman of the evening.

Instrumental music was given by Roger Carter and Ben O'Conor of Illinois college and then Miss Clarkson of Illinois Woman's college gave two readings. A vocal solo by Clarence Radeliffe with Willard Wesner as accompanist, completed the excellent preliminary program.

Mr. Barth was introduced as a man who has a thorough understanding of the state police system and work, and he explained in detail what is proposed in Illinois and what has been done in Pennsylvania and some other states with reference to the same matter.

The Illinois police bill has been endorsed by the Illinois Bankers association and the Agricultural association and various other organizations. It is proposed to have a police force in order to afford greater protection in the areas outside of cities.

Facts were given from other states to show that effective work was done by the state police and that crime is lessened because of this agency for law enforcement.

Answering a question, Mr. Barth said that in no way is the police force designed for special use in riot time or as a force to be used against labor during strikes. He said the particular need for a downstate police force is because of the development of the hard road system and the increasing number of bank robberies and other crimes in the smaller towns and rural communities.

The committee which arranged last night's program included A. G. Cody, J. I. Graham adm. J. C. Berger, Ben Owen was chairman of the refreshment committee.

Liggett's candies, Perfumes, Cigars. GILBERT'S

WILL OF MRS. HENRY FILED

The will of the late Mrs. Mary A. Henry was filed for probate Tuesday in the office of County Clerk Riggs. The testatrix bequeathed a certain sum of money and all livestock to her husband. She then provided that the remainder of her estate should be divided equally among her children, Nancy Haynes, Leona Nichols, Julia Story, Lillie Radford, W. E. McCurley and Agnes Scott. The will was made June 27, 1908, and Julia Story and W. E. Story were named to serve as executors. Isahel Whitlock and Emma Osborne witnessed the testatrix's signature.

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL
Hear John McCormack sing "Mother in Ireland," at J. BART JOHNSON CO.

FARMERS' BANK HAS
MORE SAVINGS DEPOSITS

The Farmers State Bank and Trust Co. is now distributing special Christmas savings fund checks to its patrons. This bank has a savings club based on three different plans, not limited to the Christmas club. The thought is to permit the savings fund to be completed at any special time when demands are to be met. The various plans have grown in popularity and this year the number of persons with savings accounts at the Farmers Bank and Trust Co. has been larger than ever before.

FOR SALE
Some loose straw, delivered; also Duroc Jersey boars, priced to sell. Jacksonville Tile Co., phone 728-Y.

FORMER I. W. C. STUDENT
DIES IN BLOOMINGTON

Word has been received in the city of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Beath who passed away recently at her home in Bloomington. Mrs. Beath was formerly Miss Elizabeth Kearns and was a student at Illinois Woman's College in 1857-58. She taught for a number of years in Beardstown and was married in 1861 to John Beath. Mrs. Beath was well known in Bloomington and was prominent in D. A. R. circles in the state.

Dress shoes \$4.85; work shoes \$1.98. Heppers.

TELEPHONE DIRECTORS
HELD MONTHLY MEETING

Directors of the Illinois Telephone Co. met at the offices Tuesday for a monthly business session. J. S. Hackett, president, presided and various matters of business were considered. The out of town directors present were A. J. Parsons, Springfield; and Carson T. McCall of Greenfield.

In \$30,000 Suit



Mrs. Annabelle Scheer, above, wife of Herbert Scheer, famous Chicago chef who is suing Alfred E. Sonne, below, hotel employe head, for \$30,000. Scheer charges Sonne staged "petting parties" near his hotel.

HELD CLOSING OUT
SALE TUESDAY

County Clerk Riggs Disposes of Livestock and Implements at Farm Southeast of Murrayville Tuesday.

County Clerk George L. Riggs held a closing out sale Tuesday at his farm nine miles southeast of Murrayville, which he recently rented. H. E. Spencer and C. J. Wright were the auctioneers and W. E. Wright the clerk. The sale was largely attended and the prices were uniformly satisfactory, the sale totaling something more than \$2,500. Lunch was served by the Rebekah lodge of Nortonville.

Some of the sales made Tuesday are recorded below:

M. J. Ross, cow, \$68.
Guy Rook, cow, \$38; cow, \$31.
E. P. Sooy, cow, \$50; cow, \$35.
Guy Rook, cow \$39.25; heifer, \$25.25.
Orville Mutch, heifer \$22.50.
H. E. Spencer, 2 steers at \$3.25 each.
E. P. Sooy, horse, \$0.4
F. Pond, mule, \$26.
P. C. Maddox, mare, \$35.
Harry Tarzwell, mare, \$46.
Bud Newby, yearling mule, \$71.
J. C. Richards, 10 head sheep at \$6.30 per head.
Osborne & Hayes, 10 sheep at \$4.90; 10 at \$4.25 per head.
Luther Crawford, 12 shoats at \$7.50 per head.
C. E. Irlam, 8 shoats at \$7.20 per head; 19 shoats at \$3.35 per head.
J. Leutenmayer, gilt, \$14.20.
Guy Rook, gilt, \$18.60.
Osborne & Hayes, 2 sows at \$20, 1 at \$26.25; 2 at \$18.55; 2 at \$24.75; 2 at \$16.95; 2 at \$21.25; 2 at \$18.90.
Guy Rook, 2 sows at \$20; 5 at \$18.75.
J. Leutenmayer, 3 gilts at \$17 each.
Amos McCurley, 76 hens at 40c each.

Stationery, Fountain Pens, Toilet Sets.—GILBERT'S.

MRS. VAN WORMER GUEST
AT ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY

Mrs. A. H. Van Wormer has returned from Springfield where she went to attend the announcement party at the marriage of her niece, Miss Rena De Frates to Mr. Homer of Robbins of Bluffs. The party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Curtis, a sister of the bride. Miss De Frates is a graduate of the Jacksonville high school and the Browns Business College and is daughter of A. F. DeFrates of this city.

The Springfield Journal gave the following notice of the event: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Curtis, 821 1/2 South Eighth street, entertained at their home last night for Mrs. Curtis sister, Miss Rena DeFrates. Twenty-five friends of Miss De Frates gathered for what they thought was to be an engagement announcement party but were considerably surprised when Mrs. Curtis announced that her sister had been quietly married at St. Catharines, Ontario, on August 28 to Homer J. Rubens of Buffalo N. Y.

The announcement came at the close of a pleasant evening in the form of photographic copies of the marriage certificates. Miss DeFrates visited in Buffalo two years ago and Miss DeFrates became acquainted with Mr. Rubens at that time. She has visited in Buffalo several times since while Mr. Rubens has visited with friends in Springfield. Miss DeFrates spent her vacation this year with friends in the New York town and while there, slipped across the river into Canada and was married. Only the immediate members of the family had been told of the marriage previous to the party last night.

The groom who is a traveling salesman will arrive in the next few days to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis. He will leave the first of the year with his bride for Buffalo where they will make their home.

Stationery, Fountain Pens, Toilet Sets.—GILBERT'S.

FORMER RESIDENT IS
MARRIED IN DENVER

Miss Mary Mitchell Became Bride of W. L. Irvine in Denver, Colo. Dec. 9.—Will Reside in Denver

Many local friends of Miss Mary Mitchell will be surprised to learn of her marriage to W. L. Irvine, which was solemnized in Denver, Colo., on Saturday, Dec. 9. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the Presbyterian church there, the young people being attended by the groom's brother and his wife.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the Albany hotel.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mitchell of South Clay avenue. She graduated from the local high school four years ago and for the past three years has been in Denver. She has a large number of friends here, all of whom will unite in extending best wishes.

Mr. Irvine is connected with the D. & R. G. Western railroad and has been a resident of Denver for some years. Mr. and Mrs. Irvine are to make their home in Denver.

Ford Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$2.85.
Chevrolet Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$3.25.
CHERRY SERVICE STATION

JURY AWARDS \$4000
DAMAGES IN ENORMOUS SUIT

The jury which heard the evidence in the suit of James Emmons, administrator, vs. Jacksonville Railway & Light Co. brought in a verdict late Tuesday afternoon, finding in favor of the complainant. A verdict for \$4,000 damages was given.

At the conclusion of the Emmons case the trial of August Walters vs. Frank Drury et al was called. This case is being heard without a jury before Judge Smith and is the result of an automobile collision which occurred several months ago near Ashland.

GIFT CAMPAIGN
JUDGES NAMED

The prospective judges at the close of the gift campaign are: Mayor Crabtree, Frank Mathews, Prof. J. G. Ames, Rev. W. E. Spoonts, J. L. Henry, Miss Fowler, George B. Kendall, Dr. Barker, Mrs. W. T. Scott, Ada Arnold, Allison Thomason of Markham, Al Kumble of Alexander, S. J. Camm of Franklin, Mrs. J. C. Reed of Bluffs, Ed Leach of Winchester, Dr. J. H. Spencer of Murrayville, Lee Skiles of Virginia, Jay Rodgers of Waverly and possibly representatives from Mercedia, Concord, Arenzville, etc.

STREET WORKER KILLED
AT BLOOMINGTON

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 19.—William F. Heffner, aged 67, who has been in the employ of the city street department here for ten years was instantly killed this afternoon by a freight engine on the Lake Erie & Western Road. Heffner stepped on the track to let a switch engine pass when he was struck by an engine from the opposite direction. His cap was pulled over his ears and he failed to hear the engine or shouts of warning.

ALLEGED RUNNER ARRESTED

Danville, Ill., Dec. 19.—Wendell F. Bell, alias Jack Bell, alias Jack Rice, as he is described by the Decatur police was arrested at a local hotel today by Sheriff Timm. He was taken to Decatur later by a deputy sheriff from the city to face baize running charges, stealing an automobile, and obtaining money under false pretenses.

TO HOLD CONFERENCE

Stockholders of the Get Gas Co. are to hold a meeting at the Peacock inn tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. A representative of the company from the Springfield office is coming to make an informal talk with reference to the business affairs of the company.

Kansas City, Kans., Dec. 19.—Unable to reach a verdict tonight the jury in the trial of Tony Dinello, charged with killing his 11 year old daughter, Flora, was excused with instructions to report for further deliberation tomorrow.

We Give Gift Coupons



Xmas Photos

MOLLENBROK & McCULLOUGH
214 1/2 W. State St.

Every Day
Is One Shopping Day
Less Before Christmas

We urge Early Shopping so as to
Give You Better Service

NECKWEAR

Fine cut Silks, from Sunny Italy and France

\$1.25 to \$2.50

Hand loomed Knit Scarves—Heathers, diagonal and cross stripes,

50c to \$3.50

crinkle and pin proof—willow crepes

\$1.00

Buy a Bag for His Christmas—
All Leathers, splendid values

\$4-75 to \$20

Silk crocheted and Angora wool Mufflers, plain shades and stripes... \$1.00 to \$1.50
Wool Shirts... \$2. to \$5.
All leather Vests... \$5. to \$16.50
Glove leather Coats... \$12.50 to \$20
Interwoven Silk and Wool Hose

Hartman
Wardrobe Trunks

MYERS
BROTHERS.

The Big Store
for Men

HI-Y CLUB MET
TUESDAY EVENING

Regular Session Held at Northminster Church Last Night—Interesting Program Carried Out.

The regular meeting of the Hi-Y club was held Tuesday evening at Northminster church, sixty boys being present for the chicken pie supper and the program which came afterward. Mrs. John Joaquin was chairman of the committee in charge of the supper and was assisted by Mrs. James Scott and a number of others.

After supper the meeting was called to order by the president, Alfred Cranwell, who called for reports from John Putnam and Allen Kelly who attended the Older Boys conference. Principal Kaiser of the high school was next introduced for brief remarks. He said he was glad to have the opportunity to be present with the boys and said that the Hi-Y club was something new to him, never having come in contact with such an organization before. He said that he felt the principles of the organization were very worthy

and declared that he would be very glad to be present at some future meeting and hear the program carried out by the boys.

Rev. W. E. Spoonts was next called on for a short talk. He spoke of the power and influence of such an organization as the Hi-Y club in the community and the church. J. S. Findley was then asked to take charge of the meeting and he called upon the boys who had been assigned topics at the previous meeting, the general subject being "The Defenders of the School."

The first boy who spoke was Keith Schofield, who was asked to give ten leaders in the school and analyze why they were leaders. Harry Furry was the next to speak, his topic being "Are the Leaders Responsible for the activities or are the Activities Responsible for the Leaders?"

Russell Rawlings was the third speaker, his question for discussion being "Why do students shun responsibility?" Maurice Allen next spoke on "Is it true that the Leader Must Forgo the group?" Secretary Findley summed up the three necessary points of a leader as follows: he must know

the way, he goes ahead, and he gets others to follow.

A wonderful line of dolls at 25c, 50c, 65c, with natural hair, moving eyes, beautifully dressed. No little girl should be without a new doll this Christmas. Call early. BRADY BROS.

HOPPERS' GIVES MOVIE TICKETS TO CHILDREN
The annual free movie treat for grade school children of the city and county will be given by Hoppers' shoe store Saturday morning at the Grand theater. Tickets may be procured at the store now.

Ford Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$2.85.
Chevrolet Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$3.25.
CHERRY SERVICE STATION

Mrs. F. O. Tribble and Mrs. Maggie Hunefer were among Tuesday shoppers in the city from Nortonville.

Coupon

THIS COUPON AND

69c

GOOD FOR ONE \$1.00 WEATHER HOUSE PROPHET

Another Special Sale of

Weather Prophets



AN IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT

Surprisingly reliable on local weather conditions. Made on strictly scientific principles. We have secured a special price on a quantity, and as long as they last will sell them for exactly what it costs us to retail them—only 69c if you bring the coupon.

When the weather is to be fine, two children will be out—when stormy weather is approaching the witch will come out from eight to twenty-four hours ahead of rain or snow.

The house is made of hardwood, is Swiss cottage style and is decorated, as in the picture, with thermometer, clock's head, bird's nest and bird, etc.* It has four windows and two doorways.

Advertised for \$1. Our Price for a limited time, with Coupon—Mail Orders 8c Extra 69c

Coover Drug Co. East Side Square

C. J. DEPPE CO
Known for Ready-to-Wear

'The Practical Gift Store'

Time is getting short now. There's none to be wasted just wondering what to give. That's why we filled our store full of good suggestions.

Great Christmas Sale

Handkerchiefs
Make Attractive GIFTS
See Our 25c Values

Ready-to-WEAR

HANDKERCHIEFS
Imported fine qualities... 35c to \$2.50

Snowy White IVORY
Toiletware
25c to \$6.50

THE FAMOUS
Topsy-Quaker-Phoenix Hosiery
Special Christmas Sale

SALE Christmas GLOVES
SALE UMBRELLAS \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.50

A Dress or Blouse of Rich Silk
Packed in a Christmas box. On Christmas morning no gift is more appropriate. This store is famous for its beautiful silks.

Wonder BEAUTY BOXES Exceptional values
36-IN. VELVET Fine Quality Special, \$3.50

There is No Limit to the Useful Gifts to be Four
DOLLS 25c 50c 75c \$1.00

PASSAVANT NOTES
Dr. G. W. Eckman of Winchester and Dr. Franklin of Chandler-ville were professional visitors at Passavant hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Neinhiser, Misses Ruth and Flora Neinhiser, William Negerah and daughter Anna of Chapin made a trip to the city Tuesday and spent the day shopping.

THE ELEVENTH HOUR

Say It With Flowers
Cut flowers delivered to any city in a few hours. Ask Jos. Heintz & Sons, Telegraph Florists.

Winchester special, two cell flash light, regular \$1.70 value for 89c. A wonderful bargain. Call early.
BRADY BROS.

Notice!

Call us for Shumaker Feed, Buckeye Feed and Oats Shorts for cattle, hogs and poultry. Prices right. Nothing better made. Products Quaker Oats Mills.

Also Salt in sacks and barrels.

LEWIS-CLARY CO.

AT CITY ELEVATOR

Phone 8

Your Home

A glorious vision of winking color and glittering tinsel, the Christmas tree proudly symbolizes the joy which floods the home that has been made cozier by wisely chosen

Gifts of Furniture

AND A

Pathe Phonograph

At Our New Special Low Price

Don't Forget

We Are Headquarters for

Toys of all Kinds

See Our Big Line of

Cedar Chests

This is a gift any girl or woman will appreciate; every woman needs one—wants one. They are remarkably low priced now.

We Give Gift Coupons

People's Furniture Co.

209-211 South Sandy Street

CHRISTMAS AT STATE HOSPITAL BIG EVENT

Splendid Program Has Been Prepared for the Occasion—Christmas and New Year to be Observed in Fitting Manner.

Programs have been issued announcing the program for the Christmas holidays and Jacksonville state hospital. Dr. E. L. Hill, managing officer of the institution always takes an active interest in the arrangements for the holiday events which bring much pleasure to the inmates.

Beginning Sunday, December 24, which church services the holiday spirit will prevail throughout the week. The following if the complete program for the week.

December 24, 1922.
Mass, F. F. Formaz, 8:30 a. m.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Church services, 2:30 p. m.
Text, "Hope of the World"—C. D. Robertson.

Two act comedy, 7:00 p. m.
CAST
Pat Finnegan.....Thomas Maloney
Professor Baton.....Wm. Reichert
Dan Dooley.....Raymond Allen
John, chauffeur.....Lloyd Violet
Little Tom.....Edward McLin
Biddy.....Marie McRoy
Miss Neversmile.....Una Chappell
Mary.....Petri Gunderson
Miss Goodheart.....Catherine Tripper

December 25
Christmas carols, 5 a. m.
Mass, F. F. Formaz, 8:30 a. m.
Sunday school, 9:00 a. m.
Church services, 2:30 p. m. Text: What can I do to make 1923 better than 1922—C. D. Robertson.
Church services, 2:30 p. m., C. D. Robertson.
Santa Claus, 4:30 p. m. Visits wards and distributes candy, oranges, peanuts, popcorn and cigars.
Patient's masquerade dance, 7:00 p. m. (Hospital orchestra).

PRIZES
Best couple's costume—Cake.
Best lady's costume—Cake.
Best gentleman's costume—Cake.
December 26, 1922

Harney's

The Leather Goods Man
215 W. Morgan

Trunks
Bags
Suit Cases
Pocketbooks
Ladies' Hand Bags
Pilgrim Bags
Berkeley Bags
Manicure Sets
Dressing Sets
Medicine Cases
Jewel Cases
Writing Cases
Soft Collar Cases
Handkerchief Cases
Shirt Cases
Boy Scout Cases
Belts
Money Belts
Jewel Bags
Key Cases
Watch Bracelets
Brief Cases
Music Bags
Collector's Cases
Razor Straps
Letter Cases
Card Cases
Dog Harness
Dog Collars
Robes
Blankets
Ladies' Hat Cases
Ladies' Hat and Shoe Trunks
Golf Bags
Laundry Cases
Chevalier Bags
Lunch Kit Cases

Matinee (Annex patients), 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Picture show (main Pts.), 6:30 to 9 p. m. The Way Women Love.
December 27.

Community sing, 7 p. m. Amusement hall.

SONGS
Love Ship, Tuck Me to Sleep.
Three o'clock in the Morning, Over Nothing at All, Star of Bethlehem.
Holy Night—Hospital orchestra.
December 28, 1922

Sketch, "Hills of Old Kentucky," 7 p. m.

CAST
Frank Kindred.....Mountaineer
Dayton Powell Black Face Comedian
Elizabeth Richardson.....
.....Mountaineer's Wife
Vocal solo, Bells of St. Mary—Edward Driesselman.

December 29, 1922

Matinee (Annex patients), 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Picture show (Main Pts.), 6:30 to 9 p. m.—Without Fear.

December 30.

Minstrel by ex-soldiers, 7 p. m.

CAST
End men Hugh Chiddix, F. Burkhardt
Interlocutor.....Franklin Hubbard
Clog dance.....John Blanton
Tumbling act.....Clarence Corwine
Patient's Colonial dance, 8 p. m.—Hospital orchestra.

PRIZES
Best couple's costume—1 box candy.
Best lady's costume—1 box candy.
Best gentleman's costume—1 box candy.

December 31.

Mass, F. F. Formaz, 8:30 a. m.

Sunday school, 9:00 a. m.

Church services, 2:30 p. m. Text: What can I do to make 1923 better than 1922—C. D. Robertson.

Banquet and Watch party for employees, Annex chapel, 8 to 12 p. m.

January 1, 1923

Band concert, 2:30 p. m.

Indoor carnival, 7:00 p. m.

BOOTHS

Pop corn stand, shooting gallery.

fortune teller, doll rack, fish pond, minstrel show.

Games, confetti, refreshments.

Christmas Menu

Tomato bouillon.....Bread sticks
Celery.....Nuts
Roast Goose with sage dressing
Grape jelly

Mashed Potatoes.....Giblet gravy
Cauliflower hongroise
Christmas salad

Apples.....Oranges Bonbons
Mince pie.....Butter Cafe noir

Bread.....Pop corn balls
New Year's Menu
Fruit cocktail

Celery.....Nuts
Baked chicken and dressing
Duchess potatoes.....Gravy

Creamed peas
Waldorf salad Cucumber pickles
English plum pudding with
Sterling sauce

Bread.....Butter Coffee

Don't wait—Order Now.
Cut Flowers and Plants;
scarce. Nothing prettier for
Christmas. Say it with flowers.—JOS. HEINL & SONS,
FLORISTS.

Mrs. Clarence Phillips, Mrs. Six, Mrs. Charles Fitzsimmons, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green, Miss Nora Beard, Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton, Mrs. Addison Fuson and Mr. and Mrs. Morris O'Brien were among holiday shoppers in the city from Bluffs on Monday.

1847 and Community silver, the highest quality at right price.

BRADY BROS.

Mrs. Agnes Meecham, Mrs. Elmer Langford and daughters, Bernice and Burness and Miss Mary Middendorf were among Bluffs residents who were shopping in Jacksonville yesterday.

FIRST BAPTIST S. S. TO PRESENT PROGRAM

Christmas Entertainment—Scheduled for Friday Evening—The Christmas Game to be Presented by Children.

The children of First Baptist Sunday school will present "The Christmas Game," at the church Friday evening. The program will start at 7:30 o'clock.

"Come young and old, and join our game."

You'll find it bright and jolly; 'Tis bound to drive away the blues, And cure all melancholy."

Program.

Opening chorus, "Christmas Is Coming."

Chorus, "The Christmas Game"—Ester Chipchase, Josephine Smith, Mildred Patrick, Willa Wiseman, Emma Louise Corbridge, Martha Smith, Maxine Deppe.

Song by Brownies, "The Key of Love"—Mabel Zang, Oscar Faust, Russel Faust, Carl Hoffman, Robert Phillips, Fred Goodey.

Dialogue—Wibbur Smith, Margaret Hoffman, Juanita Ervin, Ralph Ervin, Donald Hess.

Solo, "I Don't Believe"—Donald Hess.

Song of Japanese Girls "From Cherry Blossom Land"—Ester Chipchase, Josephine Smith, Mildred Patrick, Willa Wiseman, Emma Louise Corbridge, Martha Smith, Maxine Deppe.

Exercise, "The Christmas Delegation."

Holland—Ester Dumas.

Ireland—Irene Henry.

Uncle Sam—Fred Hoffman.

Millers—Reginald Hess, A. J. Patrick.

Indian—Howard Busey.

Spain—Eleanor Wood.

India—Ellen Cowdin.

Java—Dorothy King.

South America—Myrtle Griffin.

Exercise, "Once on a Time"

Douglas Lacey, Betty Lacey, Marie Davis, Mae Davis, Leila Brogdon, Violet Ervin, Irene Whiteman, Della W. Whiteman, Robert Whiteman, Edna Busey, Marilla Busey, Lowell Ronat.

Song, "Give and I Have."

Closing chorus "Merry Christmas."

Velocipedes, Autos, Sleds, Ice Skates, Roller Skates, make fine gifts for boys; for a reasonable sum you can buy a useful and lasting present here.

BRADY BROS.

Mrs. Charles Sullivan of Murrayville spent Tuesday in the city calling on friends.

H. A. Lemon of Roodhouse was in the city yesterday transacting business with local merchants.

Coal—NOTICE—Coal

Economy Cash Coal Co. is trying to give people their money's worth, not in coupons, but in coal.

6" Springfield Lump, in ton lots.....\$0.75

6" Springfield Lump, in load lots.....\$0.50

14" Springfield Lump, in ton lots.....\$0.25

14" Springfield Lump, in load lots.....\$0.00

For This Month Only

6" Carterville lump, in ton lots.....\$8.50

6" Carterville lump, in load lots.....\$8.25

6x3 egg.....\$7.75

3x2 nut.....\$7.50 & \$7.25

All the above coal is handled with forks only at yard

Phone 152

Simeon Fernandes and Sons

REID'S Taxi Service

Do your Christmas shopping in a heated closed car. All calls given our personal attention.

Phone 1744

Coal Lower

Our Diamond Chunk per net ton, delivered \$6.50

Genuine Franklin and Jackson County, delivered.....\$8.25

We give Merchant's Gift Coupons

Harrigan Bros.

Office 401 N. Sandy St.
Phone No. 9

Christmas Excursions

VIA

Chicago & Alton R. R.

TO

St. Louis

—and—

Chicago

From all Illinois stations at a fare and one-half for the round trip. Tickets on sale for all trains after 9 p. m., Dec. 22 for all trains Dec. 23 and 24th. Good returning on all trains to and including Dec. 25th.

Tickets are good in Pullman, Parlor and Sleeping Cars.

For reservations, rates and information call C. & A. Ticket Office

Typewriters

All the standard makes, rebuilt like new, guaranteed. You can save money by buying at home. Investigate and be convinced. Other used machines cheap. Typewriters for rent. Typewriter ribbons.

Laning, 304 Ayers Bank Building

Geo. E. Dewees

Norman Dewees

Real Estate, Loans & Insurance

We will try and match any legitimate trade in Real Estate, any kind, or any where. List your houses and farms with us for sale. We think the bottom has been reached. Now is the time to buy.

204 Hopper Bldg. S. E. Cor. Square Phone 1741

Spread it with butter and notice how the Kiddies call for more

Ideal Twin Loaf

One of the finest white Breads ever baked—good to the last crumb. Get it at your dealers.

We Give Gift Coupons

The Ideal Food *Ideal Baking* Eat More Brea
COMPANY

The Loaf Highest in Food Value.



Make "His"
a Real
XMAS

An
L-System
Suit or
O'Coat

Will Do It!

Silk Shirts \$5 to \$9
Silk Stripe Madras \$2.50

English Broadcloths in plain colors—Tan, gray and white with satin stripes, specially priced, \$4

Hats—Genuine Velours, all new shades \$5 to \$8

Wool and Silk Hose 75c to \$1.50

Neckwear; knits and cut silk—50c to \$3.50

Gloves—silk & wool lined

WE GIVE COUPONS

Articles Packed in Xmas Boxes

Lukeman Clothing Co.

No. 60 East Side Square

THE QUALITY SHOP

JACKSONVILLE ILLINOIS

GET IN BIG ON THE BIG

GIFT CAMPAIGN

Buy a Ford Now

Lukeman Motor Co.

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS

We Give Coupons on Everything

TO SPEND HOLIDAYS HERE

Miss Marjorie McMurphy is expected home tonight from Washington, D. C., where she is attending the Colonial school, and will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McMurphy of West College avenue.

Miss McMurphy spent the past week-end with friends in Chicago while enroute to her home here.

Mrs. Harry Powell of Greenfield was among holiday shoppers in the city on Tuesday.

ROODHOUSE HAS
NEW POSTMASTER

W. E. Roodhouse Receives Permanent Appointment as Postmaster at Roodhouse—Other News Notes.

Roodhouse, Dec. 18.—W. E. Roodhouse, who has been postmaster at Roodhouse almost as many years as all others combined, on Tuesday of this week received a wire announcing his permanent appointment to this position for the ensuing four years term. Mr. Roodhouse has been acting postmaster the past few years under temporary appointment. He has previously under Republican administrations held the office. Eliminating and political bias in connection with this or his previous appointments, Mr. Roodhouse has made an efficient postmaster, and during his terms in the office has always given personal and earnest attention to the betterment of the service and improvement of mail.

Mike Todd has sold his popular restaurant on Morse street to Paul Worcester, who assumed charge of the business at midnight last night.

The latter will not conduct the business personally just at present. Mr. Todd has not made public his plans for the future.

Mrs. C. A. Harper was down from Chicago Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hill were in St. Louis Thursday of last week.

A spark falling on some leaves in the caves at the W. E. Roodhouse ignited the shingles about 8:30 Monday morning but the fire was seen and extinguished in its incipency. The only resultant damage was a few dollars' worth of shingles.

Mrs. James Slink is recovering from a three weeks' illness.

Parker pens and pencils, Eversharp pencils, all styles, at BRADY BROS.

MADE INTERESTING
ADDRESS AT CHAPIN

Mrs. J. M. Stearns of St. Louis Speaks at Christian Church in Chapin—Other Chapin News.

Chapin, Dec. 19.—The U. C. M. S. of the Christian church held an open meeting Sunday night at which time an excellent address was made by Mrs. J. M. Stearns of St. Louis, who is working under the auspices of the St. Louis branch of the U. C. M. S. Mrs. Stearns' subject was "Needs of the World," and was much enjoyed by the large audience present. Special music was a feature. Donald Roberts, solo, "The Blind Ploughman;" Ina Vanter, solo, selected. An offering of \$25 was taken for the Ministerial Relief association.

Rev. Frederic J. Baylis of Canton, Ill., travelling president of the Illinois conference of the M. P. church, preached at the M. P. church Sunday morning to a large audience. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nonhauser took him to Ruffs Sunday afternoon to visit the work at that point and preach at the evening service there.

Mrs. Phil Lawrence of Minneapolis, Minn., and Miss Lela Belle Davis of Decatur, arrived Sunday evening and are guests of Miss Amy Onken.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Onken visited in Versailles Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Allen.

Miss Elsa Butcher, a student at Illinois college, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Harry Onken.

Mrs. Larkin Smith of Jacksonville was a guest Sunday at the home of her son, Grover Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boddy and family of the Markham neighborhood came to Chapin Sunday morning to hear Rev. Baylis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Samples of Pisgah were Tuesday visitors in Jacksonville.

MEREDOSIA MAN MADE
TRIP TO MISSOURI

G. M. Steinberg Visited Chillicothe and Moberly, Mo., on Business Trip—Other Meredosia News Notes.

Merodosia, Dec. 18.—G. M. Steinberg returned home Friday from a business trip to Chillicothe and Moberly, Mo.

Miss Leta Schaefer came over Friday evening from Carthage and will remain here until after Christmas visiting relatives.

L. H. Wegehoff of Beardstown spent a short time here Saturday evening.

W. H. Witte, Jr., and family of Arenzville were Sunday guests of C. A. Korsemeyer and family.

Stonewall Sawyers and wife of Bluffs visited with Mrs. Maggie Boyd Monday.

Miss Lena Pfenniger spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Munman in Chapin.

Mrs. J. S. McGinnis of near Jacksonville was guest of her parents from Friday until Sunday.

G. H. Fletcher, wife and daughter, Maxine, drove down from Jacksonville Sunday evening. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Yost who have returned to their home after several days' stay in Jacksonville, where the former was a patient in the hospital for several days.

C. G. Wegehoff and wife and Mrs. Effie Kappel were Sunday guests of L. H. Wegehoff and wife in Beardstown.

Dr. A. F. Breuter was a business caller here Saturday.

J. P. Brockhouse and Paul Selvig have each installed radios in their homes.

O. W. Wilcox and T. W. Bardick, Mrs. Graham Price, and Mrs. Robert Magee were business callers at the county seat Saturday.

Edward Streuter and wife motored to Jacksonville Saturday. Russell Brockhouse was a visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

A wonderful line of dolls at 25c, 50c, 65c, with natural hair, moving eyes, beautifully dressed. No little girl should be without a new doll this Christmas. Call early. BRADY BROS.

LYNNVILLE

Preparations are under way for a Christmas entertainment to be given at the Christian church on next Sunday evening and it promises to be a very interesting event.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and Pearl Fligg visited last Thursday at the home of Y. B. Gordon and family.

W. H. Stephenson of Beardstown, was a caller in our village Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Point neighborhood entertained several of their friends Friday evening at their home. The evening was spent with Rook. At a late hour the guests were served with delightful refreshments.

Mrs. Luther Barnhart spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. Fligg.

Don't wait—Order Now. Cut Flowers and Plants; scarce. Nothing prettier for Christmas. Say it with flowers.—JOS. HEINL & SONS, FLORISTS.

I. W. C. RESERVE GIFTS

The Woman's College has received a handsome table lamp as a gift from Senator and Mrs. Jas. E. McMurphy of Chicago. The lamp has been placed on the day-entertainment table in reception room at the college and is an attractive addition to the furnishings of the room.

A gift of books from Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Goebel of Duncan Place has been received for the college library. The collection includes a number of classic volumes as well as several books of modern fiction.

Ford Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$2.85.

Chevrolet Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$3.25. CHERRY SERVICE STATION

MISS DAGGETT HERE

Miss Bertha Daggett of Kansas City is spending the Christmas vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Isabel Vasey, at her home west of the city.

Ford Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$2.85.

Chevrolet Hood and Radiator Cover, complete, \$3.25. CHERRY SERVICE STATION



Mack's Silvertone

No. 49313. Grand Champion Spotted Poland China Bear of Morgan Co. fair this year. I will breed a few sows for outsiders with this great hog this fall. A litter of pigs out of this hog will help your herd. Breeding stock for sale at all times.

Ben H. McCarty Jacksonville, Ill. 349 West Morgan St.

Announcement

The R. Haas
Electric & Mfg. Co.
CLOSES

We are now ready, after completing all details of the establishment of a new field of business to announce that the Jacksonville Branch of The R. Haas Elec. & Mfg. Co. will no longer continue their retail store in Jacksonville. We will close sometime after the first of the year.

This policy has been decided upon, due to our entering the wholesale business and the manufacturing of Radio Apparatus which will be inaugurated sometime after the first of the year. Our plant in Springfield is well equipped for this work and the new business will be conducted from there.

We regret leaving Jacksonville after our years of pleasant business relations and the forming of numerous friends. We will always have a good word for Jacksonville and the people of Jacksonville.

We are remodeling our building and have leased same to J. Herman who will conduct a store similar to the one now conducted by him. As we are distributors for Reo cars and trucks for Central Illinois, we, of course are making proper arrangements for the sale and service of Reo cars and trucks in Morgan County and announcement will follow later as plans have been completed.

We wish all a very Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year and extend to all a cordial invitation to visit us at Springfield.

We Give Gift Coupons

THE R. HAAS
Electric & Mfg. Co.

R. W. BLUCKE, Mgr.

215-217 E. State

"BLOOD
WILL
TELL"CRAIG
KENNEDY
\$20,000
PRIZE
MYSTERY
STORY

Starts Sunday

IN THE

CHICAGO
HERALD EXAMINER

YOU Don't Have to WRITE a
Final Chapter Just Tell It In
Your Own Way

GET A
FRESH START
By Ordering From
Your Local
Dealer TODAY

TOMORROW'S
SUNDAY
HERALD AND
EXAMINER

Furs! Furs! Furs!
Wanted

We pay highest market prices for Skunk, Mink, Rats, Possum. See us before you sell elsewhere. St. Louis and Chicago prices paid.

Jacob Cohen & Son

Phone 355

COAL COAL COAL

Place your orders with a firm that has saved the community thousands of dollars in coal prices and quality. Carterville 6" lump, Franklin and Jackson

County coal, per ton.....\$7.50
Springfield Lump, per ton.....\$6.50

Smaller sizes at less money. Telephone your orders to the

Gift Coupons Given With Coal Orders

Jacksonville Coal Co.

Phone 355

Ask Us
What to Buy Him
for Christmas

We operate a man's store and know what men want, and it's a store where women like to trade because of that fact.

Beautiful Ties
Shirts Hose Mufflers
The Pajamas They Like

and a dozen other items that a man cares more for than any other thing except a good cigar, and how can he enjoy that if he hasn't the other comfortable, welcome things, too?

Get Gift Coupons Here

A. Weihl Merchant Tailor
W. Side Square

PHYSICIANS

DR. G. R. BRADLEY
Residence 1429 Mound Avenue
Office 223 West College Avenue
—HOURS—
10 to 12 A. M. 2 to 5 P. M.
Evenings and Sundays
by appointment
Phone No. 5

Dr. Carl E. Black—
SURGEON
Suite Ayers Bank Building.
Office hours—1:30 to 4 p. m.
(Except Sundays)
Hospital hours, 9 to 11 a. m.
Other hours by appointment.
Phone, Office 85; Residence 288.

HENRY A. CHAPIN, M. D.
X-Ray, Radium, Electro-Therapy
Ayers Bank Building
9-10:30 a. m.—Hours—1-4:30 p. m.
Sundays by Appointment
—Phones—
Office 1530 Residence 1560

H. C. Woltman, M. D.—
Physician and Surgeon
603 and 604 Ayers Bank Bldg
Hours: 10 to 12; 2 to 5
Phone, Office, 35.
Residence, 1654.
Evenings or Sundays by
appointment.

Dr. James A. Day—
Leland Office Bldg.
Springfield, Ill.
Will be at his Jacksonville office
Rooms 5 and 6 Scott Block, first
building west of the Court House,
every Wednesday from 1 to 5 p. m.

HOSPITALS

PASSAVANT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
512 East State Street
Surgical, Medical, Obstetrical—
X-Ray service. Training school
and trained nursing. Hours for
visiting patients, 10 to 12 a. m.,
4 to 5 p. m., and 6 to 8 p. m.
—Phone 491.

FOOT EXPERT

J. L. READ
Foot Expert, at
HOPPER'S SHOE STORE
Examination Free

DENTISTS

Dr. W. B. Young—
DENTIST
WOOD: 608 Ayers Bank Bldg.
Phone 36.

CENTRAL STATES SECURITIES COMPANY
Farm Mortgage
Investments
212½ East State St.

INSURANCE
in All Its Branches
Nothing but Standard Companies
Represented
332½ West State Street
Jacksonville, Ill.
Illinois Phone 27

JOHN H. O'DONNELL
Frank Reid, Assistant
(Phone 1744)
Office and Parlors, 812 E. State
—Phones—
Residence 1007 Office 298

OSTEOPATH

DR. L. E. STAFF,
Osteopathic Physician.
Graduated under A. T. Still,
M. D., originator (1874) of
Spinal and Adjustive
Therapy.
Phone 292. 609 Jordan St.

DEAD STACK REMOVED
FREE OF CHARGE
If you have anything in this line
please phone during the day.
PHONE 355.
After 6 p. m., or on Sunday call
PHONE 1064.

JACKSONVILLE
REDUCTION WORKS
East of Jacksonville Packing Co.
and north of Springfield road.

VETERINARIANS

Drs. S. J. & S. W. Carter, Jr.
Graduates of
Toronto Veterinary College
West College St., opposite
LaCrosse Lumber Yard
Calls Answered day or night
Phone No. 1039

DR. CHAS. E. SCOTT
Residence Phone 218
DR. A. C. BOLLE
Residence Phone 617
N. Main St. Office Phone 1750
Hog Diseases a Specialty.

MISCELLANEOUS SWEENEY
SUPPLY COMPANY
Dealers in Coal, Lime, Cement
and all Bricklayers' and
Plasterers' Supplies
ILLINOIS PHONE 165

WALTER & A. F. AYERS
Insurance in All Its Branches
Highest Grade Companies
Rates the Cheapest
Phone 1855
Farrell Bank Building



CLASSIFIED ADV. RATES

15¢ per word first insertion;
10¢ per word for each subsequent
consecutive insertion. 15¢ per
word per month. No advertisement
is to count less than 12
words.

WANTED

CALL 448—And have your carpets
and rugs cleaned. Jacksonville
Rug Co. 10-3-11

WANTED—White or Single
Combed Brown Leghorn young
hens or pullets; also Buff or
White Orpington pullets. Weber,
phone 117. 12-3-11

WANTED—By high school boy, place
to work in store. Had experience.
"J." Care Journal. 12-19-22

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Woman for general
house work. Phone 5150.
10-27-11

WANTED—Girl for general
housework; no washing; 213
E. Morgan St. 11-14-11

WANTED—Young man for general
newspaper work. Address
N-2, care this office. 12-17-11

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work—1221 Mound Avenue. Phone
825X.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY—To be in-
dependent and prosperous. Be-
come our special representative;
sell goods in constant demand.
Particulars free. The
Bacon Company, Elmira, N. Y.
12-29-11

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Room with board
in private family for two.
Phone 865-Z. 11-3-11

FOR RENT—House, partly furnished,
by the month or yearly lease,
\$50 per month—216 Caldwell street.
Call C. M. Bell at 34. 12-19-11

FRONT Room and kitchenette,
for light housekeeping. Modern.
425 S. Main street. 12-13-11

FOR RENT—Bed room for two
girls, modern, close in. Reason-
able. Call 15197. 11-30-11

FOR RENT—7 room house with
out buildings, electric lights,
family without children preferred.
Phone 1556. 12-15-11

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished
furnace heated down stairs
rooms. Also apartment fur-
nished or unfurnished; stove
heat. 1150X. 12-20-11

FRONT room and kitchenette,
for light housekeeping. Modern.
425 S. Main street. 12-13-11

FOR RENT—Modern furnished
rooms, hot and cold water, 346
East North Street. 12-17-11

FOR RENT—Five room house.
Call at 331 W. Court street.
12-20-11

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished
housekeeping rooms, separate
entrance. Apply 408 East
State. 12-9-11

FOR RENT—Furnished modern
room for gentleman. Phone
1819. 12-17-11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Twenty cords oak
wood; 1000 white oak posts
Charles T. Gaines, R. R. 8.

FOR SALE—Homes in all parts
of the city, also farms. Phone
432X. 9-23-11

FOR SALE—Piano with bench
leather bed davenport, leather
chair. Phone 1164X. 12-10-11

FOR SALE—Good Cockerels
Rods, Orpingtons, Black Lang-
shans. Weber, 320 West Court
Street. 11-24-11

FOR SALE—72 acres; fine im-
provements; extra good land;
located right at Plainville, Ill.
Mrs. Possession March 1st.
McVey, Redmon and Co., Barry,
Illinois. 12-20-11

FOR SALE—Dressed geese at 30¢
per lb. Mrs. George Newman
Jr., Woodson exchange. 12-20-11

FOR SALE OR RENT—My residence,
860 North Church St.
Jacob Cohen. Inquire next
door, Mrs. Ben Cohen, phone
1056. 12-16-11

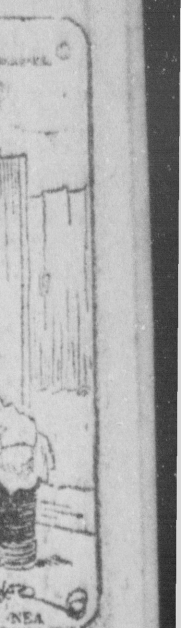
R. A. GATES
AUDITOR AND CONSULTING
ACCOUNTANT
Jacksonville, Illinois
Systematizer
Income Tax Specialist

CHIROPRACTORS
H. C. MONTGOMERY
Chiropractor
Call Phone 7 Ill. Phone 1764
346 West State St.

E. O. Hess, Chiropractor
Palmer Graduate Spine
Specialist
Office 74½ E. Side Square
Office hours 8:30 to 12:00
1:30 to 5:00. Monday
Wednesday and Saturday
evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock
Consultation and Examination
free. Office phone 1771

WALTER & A. F. AYERS
Insurance in All Its Branches
Highest Grade Companies
Rates the Cheapest
Phone 1855
Farrell Bank Building

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Market Report

By The Associated Press

GOVERNMENT FIGURES HAVE BEARISH EFFECT

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Government figures suggesting that the new winter wheat crop would be 15,000,000 bushels larger as compared with corresponding estimates at this time last year had a bearish effect in the wheat market today. Closing prices were unsettled, ranging from 3¢ net low to 3¢ advance, with May \$1.25 1/2 and July \$1.28 1/2 to \$1.32. Corn finished at 9 to 10¢ decline to 3¢ gain and oats off 3¢ to 3¢. In provisions the outcome was unchanged to 15¢ down.

Evident lessening of confidence on the part of numerous holders was shown in the wheat market notwithstanding that some authorities said the really significant feature of the government report was the fact that except in two cases the condition of the winter crop is the lowest on record. It was also pointed out that severe cold had prevailed since the government data was gathered and that many fields were unprotected. Fading of prospects of a loan to Germany tended further to handicap bulls and some likewise did talk about slow progress of farm credit bills at Washington.

Persistent buying for strong commission houses rallied the wheat market to some extent during the last hour of the day. This buying accompanied gossip that as much as 800,000 bushels of wheat had been purchased for shipment to Europe including considerable hard winter grade to go from ports on the Gulf of Mexico. Some notice was also taken of late messages saying an important announcement was expected in relation to plans for financing exports of foodstuffs.

Corn and oats averaged lower with wheat. Rural offerings of corn were small and some export business was announced. Provisions were depressed by

Chicago Livestock Market

Chicago, Dec. 19.—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Cattle—Receipts 13,000. Most beef steers and yearlings, better grades beef cows stockers and feeders unevenly weak to lower. Few loads steers selling \$9.75 to \$11.50 around steady; top matured beef steers \$12.75; weight 1,350 pounds; best yearlings, \$16.75; choice heifers \$12.50 with top steers \$10; bulk native beef steers \$8 to \$9.50; canners and cutters, bulls and veals around steady; bulls strong; bulk heifers \$14.25 to \$4.35; bulk veals to packers \$9.25 to \$9.75; a few, \$10.

Hogs—Receipts 48,000. Early market five to 10¢ lower than yesterday's best time; closing active with some recovery on butchers; bulk 230 to 300 pound butchers \$8.10 to \$8.15; bulk 190 to 210 pound average \$8.20; 140 to 180 pound average mostly \$8.25 to \$7.30; desirable pigs \$8.25 to \$8.25; left over liberal at noon.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000. Fat woolled lambs 15 to 25¢ lower. Clipped kind mostly steady; top \$15.15 to shippers; \$14.50 to packers; bulk \$14.25 to \$14.75; culls mostly \$11 to \$12; feeders steady; desirable 66 pound feeding lambs \$14.65; fed 85 pound yearling wethers \$12.25; sheep, steady; heavy fat ewes \$5.75 to \$6.10; one double clover 118 pound aged wethers \$8.50.

GOVERNMENT BONDS
New York, Dec. 19.—U. S. government bonds closing: Liberty \$109.84 First 4s \$98.70; Second 4s \$98.12; First 4s \$98.90; Second 4s \$98.10; Third 4s \$98.76; Fourth 4s \$98.48; Unallocated Victory 4s, \$100.34; U. S. Government 4s \$99.78.

MISCELLANEOUS
THE Yellow Cab Co. is operated by C. W. Patrick and available for service at all times. Phone 1405.

HALE & EVANS, LIVERY, 322-323 North Main Street. Geo. E. Hale and J. O. Evans. Nice line of livery rigs. Call us day or night.

MONEY TO LEND—We have \$800 and \$1,500. The Johnston Agency. (Established in 1891.) 10-1-11

CHRISTMAS CARDS—Engraved and printed. Artcraft Printing, 213 West Morgan. 11-10-11

HOMEMADE CANDY—Black walnut fudge, divinity nougat, pecan roll special. Orders taken at home. Phone 1033. Mrs. John Doyle. 11-29-11

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Dec. 19.—Stocks: American Can 73 1/2; American Car & Foundry 183; Amer. Locomotive 125; Amer. Smelt. & Refg. 54 1/2; Amer. Sugar (bid) 74 1/2; American T. & T. 124 1/2; American Woolen 95 1/2; Anaconda Copper 50 1/2; Atchafalaya 100 1/2; Adl. Gulf & W. Indies 22; Baldwin Locomotive 130 1/2; Botham Steel 41 1/2; Central Leather 32; Chandler Motors (ex div) 62 1/2; Chesapeake & Ohio 70 1/2; Chi. Mil. & St. Paul 21 1/2; Chi. R. I. and Pac. 30 1/2; Chicago & N. W. 78; Corn Products 130 1/2; Crucible Steel 70 1/2; Famous Players-Lasky 82 1/2; General Asphalt 46 1/2; General Motors 130 1/2; Illinois Central 107 1/2; Int. Mer. Marine 34 1/2; Kelly-Springfield Tire 34 1/2; Mexican Petroleum 25 1/2; Midvale Steel 28; New York Central 93; Northern Pacific 75 1/2; Pan-American Petroleum 90 1/2; Pennsylvania 46 1/2; Peoples Gas (bid) 93; Pure Oil 27 1/2; Rep. Iron & Steel 46 1/2; Royal Dutch, N. Y. 41 1/2; Sinclair Oil 31 1/2; Southern Pacific 37 1/2; Standard Oil of N. J. 39; Studebaker Corporation 132 1/2; Texas Company 47 1/2; Tobacco Products 82 1/2; United Pacific 135 1/2; United States Rubber 62 1/2; United States Steel 106 1/2; Utah Copper 84 1/2; Whittier-Overland 94 1/2; Intl. Harvester 90 1/2.

Kansas City Livestock

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 19.—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Cattle—Receipts 15,000; beef steers steady to 15¢ lower; some bids off more; early sales \$7 to \$9; canners cows strong to 10¢ higher; bulk around \$2.40; some making \$2.50 to \$2.60; other killing classes steady; better grades cows \$5 to \$6; plain to medium kinds \$3.75 to \$4.50; bulk cutters \$3 to \$3.50; fairly good heifers \$6.25 to \$7; bulk heifers \$5.50 to \$6; spots \$5; packing cows steady, bulk \$7.25 to \$7.50; stock pigs steady, bulk \$8.75 to \$7.25; few at \$7.25 to \$7.50. Sheep—Receipts 5,000; killing classes steady; 79 pound Colorado lambs \$14.65; other fed lots and better grades, medium largely \$14 to \$14.50; 80 pound short yearlings \$10.75; most fat ewes \$6.50 to \$6.75; clipped ewes \$7.25; feeding lambs \$14.

Chicago Grain Futures

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Futures: Opening. High. Low. Close. WHEAT—Dec. 1.27 1/2 1.27 1/2 1.26 1.27 1/2; May 1.24 1/2 1.24 1/2 1.23 1.25 1/2; July 1.15 1/2 1.15 1/2 1.14 1.15 1/2. CORN—Dec. .75 1/2 .75 1/2 .75 .75 1/2; May .74 1/2 .74 1/2 .74 .74 1/2; July .74 1/2 .74 1/2 .73 1/2 .74 1/2. OATS—Dec. .46 .46 .44 1/2 .45 1/2; May .47 1/2 .47 1/2 .46 1/2 .47 1/2; July .43 1/2 .43 1/2 .42 1/2 .43 1/2. PORK—LARD—Jan. 10.60 10.60 10.42 10.50; May 10.80 10.82 10.67 10.67. RIBS—Jan. 10.75; May 10.70.

St. Louis Cash Grain

St. Louis, Dec. 19.—Wheat—No. 3 red \$1.34 @ \$1.36; No. 4 \$1.39. Corn—No. 2 white 76¢; No. 3 75¢.

St. Louis Grain Futures

St. Louis, Dec. 19.—Wheat—Dec. \$1.23; May \$1.25; Corn—Dec. 75¢; May 74¢; Oats—Dec. 47¢; May 48¢.

OPPOSING FORCES STRUGGLE FOR CONTROL

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Opposing speculative forces struggled for control of today's stock market which showed alternate periods of weakness and strength with the final price tendency upwards. Trading was largely of a professional character there being little evidence of the January investment demand which usually makes its appearance at this time.

Operators for the advance were encouraged by the resistance that the general market had shown to the cut in the Great Northern dividend, the official denials of rumored United States Steel and General Electric stock dividends, the refusal of the Morgan firm to consider an international loan to Germany and the forced liquidation occasioned by yesterday's stock exchange failure, but they were unable to attract much of an outside following in their effort to bid up various shares. Speculators for the decline likewise failed to make much progress, despite their rather heavy offerings and some of the rail, steel and public utilities issues.

Halden was one of the outstanding features, more than 50,000 shares changing hands at prices ranging from 126 1/2 to 131, the closing price of 130 1/2 representing a net gain of 4 1/2 on the day. Higher lead prices were reflected in an advance of nearly five points in National Lead.

General Electric which had created a new peak price of 190 broke seven points on an announcement that no stock of extra cash dividend was contemplated and then rallied feebly, closing at a slight fractional loss.

Call money held steady at 4 1/2 per cent throughout the session. The time money and commercial paper markets continued quiet with no change in rates.

KANSAS CITY MARKET REVIEW

Kansas City Stock Yards, Dec. 19.—Cattle—Receipts yesterday, of 13,000 were the smallest on any Monday in the past five months, and 7,000 less than a week ago. The decrease in the run is due to the cessation of the Southwest movement, and the approaching holidays. Next Monday the yard will be closed to all business, except receiving, feeding and watering stock. And the supply the rest of this week will be small. Some 10,000 cattle and calves were held over from last week, so that this week's trade will be an attempt to clear the yards. Demand remains fairly active, and prices for fat cattle were slightly higher, with stockers and feeders quoted steady. Plain and common stockers can be bought for \$1.50 to \$1.75 and fairly good stockers at \$1.75 to \$2.00. A good many short fed steers suitable for a short finish in feed lots can be bought for \$7.25 to \$7.50, and straight feeders, good quality at \$6.25 to \$6.75. Stock calves are selling at \$5 to \$5.50, stock cows \$3.25 to \$4.25 and stock heifers \$4 to \$4.75. Railroads report plenty of cars to care for the outbound movement, and most roads are giving priority right on line stock coal and perishable freight.

Hog prices last week closed at the low point down about 25 cents from the previous week, but today the market was up 5 to 10 cents, top \$8.15. Stock hogs and pigs are selling at \$7 to \$7.35 and are relatively lower than at any previous time this season. Receipts are fairly liberal.

Fat sheep and lambs reached a new high position for the year on Wednesday, top \$15.20 for lambs and \$7.50 for ewes. Since then the market broke 25 to 50¢ and Monday fat lambs brought \$14 to \$14.75. Clipped lambs \$12 to \$12.50, ewes \$6.50 to \$7.25, wethers \$7.75 to \$8.25, and feeding lambs \$12.25 to \$13.50.

CHARLES M. PIPKIN,
Market Correspondent.

CASH GRAIN REPORT

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Prices of wheat in the cash market today were 3 to 1¢ easier whereas premiums were unchanged on all but yellow hard which was 1¢ better. Cash sales were 40,000 bushels. The seaboard reported 800,000 bushels wheat worked for export. Sale of 50,000 bushels were made to go to store here. Corn finished 3 to 4¢ easier and trading basis were unchanged to 1¢ better for No. 3 grades. Off grades were 3 to 1¢ lower. Cash sales were 125,000 bushels including 16,000 bushels to exporters. The seaboard reported 400,000 bushels worked. Sales of 200,000 bushels were made to go to store here.

Oats closed 1¢ lower, whereas premiums were unchanged to 3¢ better. Cash sales were 125,000 bushels. Sales of 50,000 bushels oats were made to go to store here.

East St. Louis Livestock

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 19.—U. S. Department of Agriculture.—Cattle—Receipts 5,000; beef steers slow; few early sales above steady; other classes steady; good light vealers 50¢ higher at \$10; cows largely 5¢ to 25¢; bulk canners \$2.35; best heifers \$5; bulk \$4.40 to \$4.50; bulk stock steers \$4 to \$6.

Hogs—Receipts 10,000; mostly early trading 10¢ higher; top \$8.45 out of line; bulk 130 pounds and up, \$8.25 to \$8.35; pigs slow; bulk \$7.75 to \$8; packers slow strong to 10¢ higher; bulk \$7.25; few up to \$7.50. Sheep—Receipts 2,000; unchanged; no choice lambs on sale; one deck good natives \$14.75; several loads fair to good lambs \$12 to \$14.50; culls \$10 to \$11; quote choice fed lambs \$15; few fat handy weight natives \$15; \$5.50; heifers \$4.50; quote fed western ewes \$7 to \$7.25.

FINANCIAL

New York, Dec. 19.—Day's total sales 743 shares. Twenty industrials averaged 98.23; net gain .55. High 1922, 103.43; low 78.59. Twenty railroads averaged 83.98; net gain .26. High 1922, 93.9; low 72.43. Total bond sales (par value) \$12,432,000.

Peoria Livestock Market

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 19.—Hogs—Receipts 2,500; steady to 5¢ lower; top \$8.20; lights \$8 to \$8.20; mediums \$8 to \$8.20; heavies \$8 to \$8.20; packers \$7.25 to \$7.75. Cattle—Receipts 150; steady; top veals \$9.

HORSES AND MULES

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 19.—Horses and mules unchanged.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many neighbors and friends for their kindness and the many beautiful flowers during the death of our son and brother, Myron Corbridge. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Corbridge, Fred Corbridge, Leroy Corbridge, Ruth Corbridge.

WE DELIVER SUNDAY

Cut Flowers and Plants any place in the United States. Order at once; stock scarce. **JOS. HEINL & SONS** Florists

Fire

Life Insurance
are as necessary as food and clothing—Each is an absolute needed protection. Among the several reliable companies I represent is

THE EATNA

Come in or phone me, tell me your needs and let me fix up that "protection" now.

L. S. Doane

Farrell Bank Building

National

The Right Book to Write in

Ledgers
Ledger Sheets
Post Binders
Sheet Holders
Bank Forms
Price Books
Ring Binders
Columnar Sheets
Commercial Forms
Memorandum Books
Sauders' Notebooks
School and Office Supplies
313 W. State Street

W. B. ROGERS

School Supplies
313 West State Street

HOW'S

The Coal Lasting

Had you not better let us send you a load or two of that good River-ton or Carterville?

There is none better

YORK BROS.

300 W. Lafayette Ave.
Phone 88

Friendship's Perfect Gift

Your Photograph

Give Them This Christmas

Spieth

Studio, S. W. Cor. Sq.
Over Byr

ARTHUR G. CODY
FUNERAL DIRECTOR
226 West State St. Office phone 218
Residence phone 367.

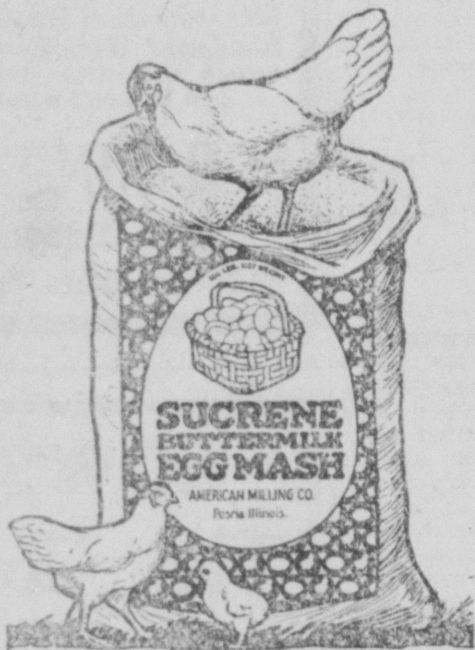
All calls given personal attention

Day or Night Service

Branch Office—Franklin, Ill.

"Sucrene"

The Trade Name of the best products known, for animal foods—



Sucrene

Dairy Feed
Hog Meal
Scratch Feed
Egg Mash
Linseed Meal
Shorts
and Brak

We are offering these products at attractive prices, either wholesale or retail.

Jacksonville Feed Co.

J. W. Middleton, Pres. J. W. & Harry Hall, Agents
786 W. Walnut St. Phone 1624

MARKHAM
Mrs. William Worrell was called to Dulton Sunday by the serious illness of her mother.
John Boddy and Sons shipped a car load of hogs to St. Louis Monday. Mr. Boddy and son Walter accompanied the shipment.
R. B. Marshall and son Ellisworth spent Saturday in St. Louis attending business matters.
Pupils of West Liberty school are preparing an entertainment and Christmas tree which will be given at the school house, Thursday evening, Dec. 21. Everybody invited.
The Wabash has a force of men laying rails along the right of way.
The Haas Electrical Co. installed a Radio at the home of Louis Perbix last week.
Miss Laura Lepker of the Passavant hospital force spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Louis Perbix.

FOR SALE
Some loose straw, delivered; also Duroc Jersey boars, priced to sell. Jacksonville Tile Co. Phone 728-Y.

LABORER BREAKS ARM
John McCaffey employed on the farm of John Wilson on the Meredosa road, fell while at work Tuesday morning and broke his right arm near the wrist. He was brought to Our Savior's hospital Tuesday noon, where the fracture was set and splinted.

Regular full size Cabinet PATHE phonographs, with 12 records free, only \$60. Gift Coupons. PEOPLES Furniture Co., So. Sandy.

Practical Optical

Christmas Gifts

Some friend or relative would appreciate

A PAIR OF GLASSES

A Christmas gift that will make life's outlook brighter with each succeeding day.

Ask About The Gift Certificate Plan as a Christmas Gift.

Need Glasses?

See

DR. W. O. SWALES

Optometrist
211 E. State Phone 1445

FARM BUREAU NOTES

The Farm Lay-Out.

The farm lay-out is just as important as consideration in the economical production of farm crops, as is the arrangement of the machines in any commercial manufacturing plant. The distance traveled in bringing in the raw material and taking out the waste products is so great and the area worked is so large, that any saving of time or distance that can be made by better field or building arrangements must not be overlooked. In only a very few cases, is a farm layout planned before any buildings are erected or fences built. It is usually a re-arrangement of the present lay-out which may be very unsuitable, inconvenient, or expensive.

One of the first things to consider in the location of the farmstead is sanitation. Buildings must be located where good drainage is possible. They must be so located with reference to each other that prevailing winds will not bring unpleasant odors from the barns to the house. They must be located so that each field is readily accessible from the buildings for livestock, hauling in the crops, and getting the manure back to the land. They must be suited to the needs of the livestock and crops grown. Many farms are over equipped in buildings whose depreciation is a large expense that stretches over a long period of years. Some buildings are not suited to the use that is made of them, making the routine work or chores a slow process.

In the past it has been the general custom to locate the buildings as near a road as possible for social purposes. The telephone, and automobile have almost done away with this need and since so many more trips are made to the fields than to town, the location with reference to field convenience is most important. The rotation followed will determine the number of fields in the farm plan. They should be as near equal in size as the acreage and natural conditions will permit and as regular in shape as possible. Small or irregular fields are hard and expensive to work economically and require more fence per acre. In making plans for the farm lay-out it must be remembered that it is better to proceed slowly and to make what changes are made, with a view to the final arrangements, which may take years to complete." R. L. Donovan, Dept. of Farm Org., & Mgt. U. of I.

Do Sheep Have a Place on Illinois Farms?

"The well balanced system of farming calls for diversification. In diversifying farm enterprises there is a place for sheep? There is a good time to think of how to improve our farm practice and in so doing, let's not overlook a chance to make a little money even though it will only pay the hired man for a month or two.

Sheep are not now kept on many Illinois farms because it is thought that they cannot be produced economically. It is very likely true that sheep would not return a profit on many high priced farms in Illinois if they were kept as a sole enterprise. On the other hand, a small flock on many farms will require only a small amount of care as an average for the year, and can be maintained on waste feeds to a large extent. Waste feeds will not do alone, however, for sheep need a liberal supply of protein and a legume roughage should form the basis of their ration when they are not on pasture. Other enterprises are generally supposed to be more profitable in the majority of cases than sheep raising. Properly handled a small flock will not compete greatly with other farm stock and economic production is possible if legumes and waste feeds are utilized. Attention should be given to both mutton and wool as approximately 66 per cent of income from a flock is from the sale of lambs and 34 per cent from wool.

The dog is considered a great nuisance to sheep raising. While this is true, losses from this source may be greatly reduced or avoided if the sheep are enclosed at night in a yard which has a dog proof fence. It is not the custom to raise sheep on most farms in Illinois, and many people know little about the needs of sheep. The disappointments, often due to carelessness, are more talked of than are the good qualities of sheep and the advantage of keeping them. Over a period of years a small farm flock given the necessary care, will return a profit on many Illinois farms. Records show that farm flocks have in many cases returned several dollars profit per head annually as an average for the last four years. Think it over. "Woolies" may be all right on your farm." W. G. Kammlade, Ass'n. In Sheep Husbandry, U. of I. Care of Light Plants and Storage Batteries.

Regular care of the storage battery is essential to secure the greatest service from it. The high depreciation in many storage batteries can often be greatly reduced by paying attention to the following points:

1. Locate the battery so that it is accessible for adding water and for testing.
2. Locate it so that it is well ventilated, with free air space on all sides.
3. Protect it from oil and dust.
4. Construct the battery rack so there is little opportunity for laying metal objects on top of the battery.
5. Keep the terminals greased with vaseline.
6. Clean off all spilled electrolyte with a cloth moistened with ammonia water or ordinary soda water.
7. Use only pure distilled water or rain water collected in an earthen or glass jar.
8. Never use metal funnel for filling.
9. Always take specific gravity before adding water.

CONCORD

Mrs. Barton and Mrs. Ellen Coultas of Chapin were calling on friends here Saturday.

Among the Jacksonville callers Saturday were: Mrs. Alice Hamm, Mildred and Harold Hamm, Mrs. Mecca Yeck and Othello and Helen Yeck, Mrs. Mary A. Hamm, Mrs. F. C. Nickle and daughter Gall, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith, Mrs. Flora Caldwell, Cleon McConnell, Mrs. R. J. McConnell, Clark Caldwell, B. A. Cratz.

Miss Mary Bayless of Jacksonville spent the week end with her friend, Miss Theresa Hamm.

The Ladies of the Christian church held a market last Saturday with much success.

The household goods of Bardge Martin were sold Saturday.

Mrs. Bernice Pfolsgraff and son Ralph of Arenzville have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Murphy.

Friends and relatives from here attended the funeral of Oscar Decker at Beardstown Sunday.

Mrs. Ethelyn Plank and daughter Edna were Jacksonville callers Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Struter and son Milton of Arenzville were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carl.

Little Allen Emely King of Jacksonville spent several days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ator.

Mr. O. T. Hamm was a Jacksonville caller Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Belle of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ator.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Ham were Jacksonville callers Sunday.

Miss Alma Williamson of Jacksonville spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

FOR SALE
Some loose straw, delivered; also Duroc Jersey boars, priced to sell. Jacksonville Tile Co., phone 728-Y.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL MEET TODAY

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Grace church will meet today at 3 o'clock in the church parlors. Mrs. J. O. Applebee will have charge of the program assisted by Miss Mary Wadsworth.

TOYS — DOLLS — TOYS
Large Line, all kinds, specially priced. You'll find it here. PEOPLES Furniture Co., So. Sandy.

10. Keep the electrolyte above the top of plants at all times by adding water as it is evaporated.

11. Examine each cell, see that vent plugs are open.

12. Keep all connections tight.

13. Follow carefully instructions of manufacturer.—E. W. Lehmann, Department of Farm Mechanics, U. of I.

BROOKLYN MID.

WEEK SERVICE
The subject of the Prayer service, Wednesday, Dec. 20, will be some examples of prayer taken from the Bible. Everybody who comes is asked to bring an example.

The subject for prayer will be all Sunday schools, local and general. Pray for all officers and teachers and pupils that the teaching of the Scripture may create a holy Christian character.

G. W. RANDLE, Pastor.

Mrs. L. Z. Virgin was a shopper in the city on Tuesday from Woodson.

CAR Storage

Storage for the winter in a dry, safe place. Storage by the hour, day or longer, convenient to business.

Car Service and Parts of All Kinds

Visitors to Jacksonville are especially invited to make our garage their headquarters

CHERRY SERVICE STATION FOR ALL CARS

North Main, One Block from Square. Phone 850.



LET ME MAKE Your out-of-style man of scarf into The Newest Style Collar and cuffs, or animal scarf. Price reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.
MRS. ABBOTT Phone 881

GIFT COUPONS

We give them on all cash received, including that paid on old accounts. Buy

Batteries, Tires and Accessories

PETERSON BROS

Ill. Phone 1620

320 East State St.

AUTOMOBILE SUPPLIES ACCESSORIES

SKINNER

800 South Main Street

Telephone 1292

Have You Tried **Veedol** in Your Car?

It's Oilright

PIGGLY WIGGLY

all Over the World

\$100,000 SAVED!

Tomorrow 1,000,000 people will patronize 1225 Piggly Wiggly Stores in operation in the United States. If these customers would pay to have their purchases delivered it would cost \$100,000. The United States Department of Commerce has figured that it costs an average of 10c to make each delivery—There is no such thing as Free Delivery—the customer must pay.

The saving of money is not to be compared with the savings of health. When you buy from Piggly Wiggly you can see with your own eyes that the goods and surroundings are clean. You select with your own hands the fruit and vegetables you desire.

Your Luck Coffee, vacuum sealed, per pound . . . 38c

Flake White Soap, 10 bars . . . 45c

Brazil Nuts, new crop, per pound 15c

Borden's Milk, tall tin . . . 10c

Christmas Mixed Candy, per lb. 18c

Ainsley's Fruit Salad, No. 2 1/2 tin . . . 53c

California Oranges, good color, per dozen . . . 30c

Tiny Sifted Early June Peas Club House Brand, No. 2 tin 38c

We Give Gift Coupons 74 East Side Square Cor. East State

Lamps Built for the Home



Floor & Table Lamps Make Delightful Christmas Gifts

Of all precious items available for Christmas gifts, the Floor or Table Lamp, after due consideration should be included in your shopping list, as a gift for the home. A very select assortment of Floor Lamps have just lately been received. Several from the shipment are here reproduced. They consist of the very newest styles, in a gorgeous array of colorings evidenced in the silk shades, sticks and bases. Consider these lamps in the light of appropriate Christmas gifts. Some are equipped with silk extension cords ready for lighting.

See Our Special Bridge Lamp at **\$5.98**

Visit our Gift Sections for appropriate gifts for yearly enjoyment. Last minute shoppers will find here not only attractive items, but real merchandise values.

Andre & Andre

The Store Where the Christmas Spirit Reigns